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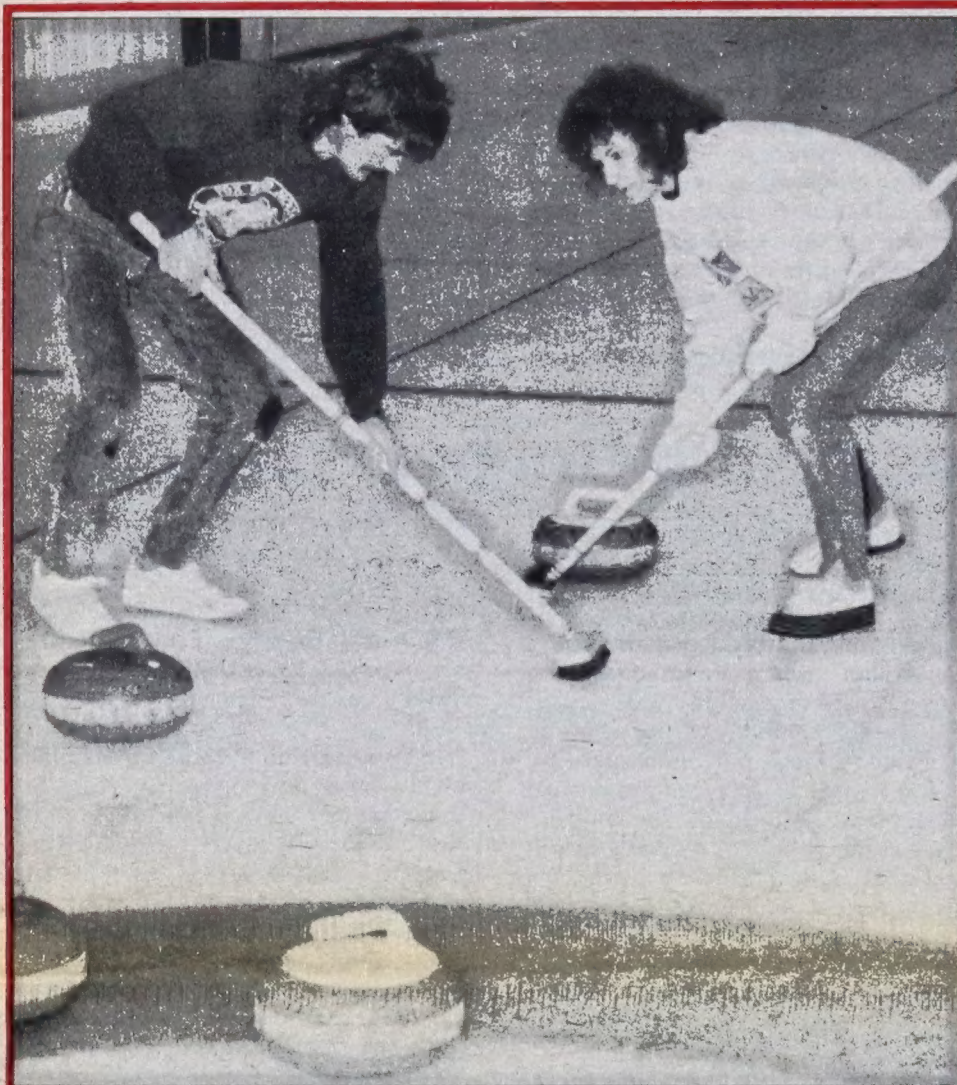
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Tim and Laurie O'Sullivan clear the way for a rock during last week's Minden mixed curling play-offs. Their hard work paid off as the team earned the title of Friday night champs. For more coverage see pg. 13

County not rushing tax changes; Puffer

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

Recent concerns that the county is rushing into market value assessment are unfounded, says Haliburton County's warden.

"It's unfortunate that there's a perception that this is being rushed through," Warden Carol Puffer said in an interview last Friday. "That was never the intention."

Although the matter will be discussed at the Feb. 20, meeting of county council, Puffer said there doesn't have to be a vote if councillors aren't comfortable with the plan.

She said the Ministry of Revenue hasn't imposed a deadline for deciding the issue. "It was never even considered by any county councillors that it has to be 'yes' or 'no' on February, 20."

"If the county decided it wanted to hold off and form a task force or have public meetings, we have the chance to do that," said Puffer.

The proposed re-assessment has come under strong attack by local property owners' associations and the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations (FOCA). Critics fear a switch to market value assessment would result in sharp property tax increases for owners of waterfront property.

Some associations have threatened to campaign against any councillor who supports the re-assessment, during the municipal elections in November.

Jerry Strickland, executive director of FOCA, has sent a letter to all municipal councils urging that the proposal be tabled for a year to allow further study into the effects of the re-assessment.

In order to be adopted, the market value re-assessment study prepared by the ministry requires the approval of at least six of the ten municipal councils and a majority vote at county council.

Stanhope and Dysart councils have already rejected implementation of the re-assessment this year and have called for further consideration of the proposal.

If the county opts to delay a decision until next year, Puffer said the ministry's study will require only minor updating to remain current.

The county will not move to implement the plan until councillors fully understand the effects of re-assessment and out-

standing concerns have been addressed, said Puffer.

Townships in the process of preparing their interim tax bills are doing so using last year's mill rates under the current assessment system.

Minden councillors met last week to discuss the proposed re-assessment with clerk Mary Mysyk, and are expected to discuss the issue at this Thursday's meeting, but no vote has been scheduled.

Lutterworth councillors are also going to be discussing the issue at their next meeting on Jan. 29.

Official plan no threat to townships

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

The development of a county official plan will not diminish the control municipal councils have over local planning matters, Haliburton's politicians have been told.

Last week representatives from the county met with municipal council members in a series of meetings to discuss the proposed official plan.

While there is general support for a county-wide official plan, there is some concern that townships risk losing their autonomy over local development issues.

Because of the lengthy consultation process involved, the county plan won't be ready for adoption until 1994 or 1995.

During the meetings, county planner Mark Stagg, Warden Carol Puffer and management committee chairman Maurice Bradley addressed some of the questions and concerns.

Stagg explained that a county plan would address issues common to all townships, such as waste management, lake capacity, urban growth and environmental issues.

The county has the choice of adopting either a one-tier system or a two tier-

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Cult leader will be tried

The former leader of a Burnt River-based cult will stand trial for the second degree murder of cult member Solange Boilard.

Roch 'Moses' Theriault, who led the Ant Hill Kids cult, is already in custody for charges relating to another cult member.

He and other cult members were previously sentenced for amputating and cauterizing the arm of cult member Gabrielle Lavallee against her will in July of 1989.

During this investigation,

police found Boilard's body on the commune grounds near Burnt River on October 20, 1989.

Originally charged with the first degree murder of Boilard, the judge lessened Theriault's charge to second degree murder after hearing evidence at a preliminary hearing in November.

Coboconk OPP Cnts. Dave Fletcher says no trial date has been set, because an application was made for a change of venues.

Because Theriault is a francophone, the trial must be heard in an area where a

bilingual judge and a bilingual prosecutor are available.

Also, a French interpreter will be needed if the court system can't find enough bilingual jurors.

Police add that a venue will be sought where members of the jury won't be prejudiced against the accused, whose previous conviction was highly-publicized.

Fletcher said it will be at least a week before it's decided where to hold the trial.

Just say no

Dysart council has joined Stanhope in asking the county to hold off on the proposed market value re-assessment to give more time to study the effects of the plan.

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Loving care

Day-in and day-out the Victorian Order of Nurses provide essential care to patients trying to live in their own homes. This week we take a look at these unsung heroes.

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Carnival time

Next weekend the village of Minden will be the place to be during the annual Kinsmen Winter Carnival. For a complete guide to all the events taking place, please see our special insert in this week's paper.

Councils support one-tier approach to official plan

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system. With a one-tier county official plan, each municipality's planning policies would be part of the over-all document.

In a two-tier system, the county plan would address planning in a general format while each municipality would have its own official plan to deal specifically with local issues.

Municipal councils overwhelmingly support the idea of a two-tier official plan, which allows townships to retain ownership and control of their own policies.

All 10 municipal councils have already passed resolutions supporting the concept of a county official plan. But since the election of the NDP government in September, councils have been asked to reconfirm their commitment with a second resolution. The county has also asked that councils indicate their preference between the one-tier and two-tier structure.

At the meeting Wednesday night, Puffer told councillors from Minden, Lutterworth and Snowdon that the purpose of the meetings was to answer any questions that might be outstanding.

Haliburton County attempted to develop a county official plan in 1973, but Puffer said the attempt failed because of a lack of co-operation between townships. The economic development strategy plan, completed last year, recommended that a county-wide official plan should be adopted.

Stagg said a county official plan would fill the void between provincial development policies and municipal official plans.

If the county plan addresses issues like flood plains, wetlands, affordable housing and development standards, Stagg said the province would most likely become less involved in local development issues.

Committee chairman Bradley, who is Cardiff's reeve, said the county is not interested in using the official plan to "usurp" the authority of the townships.

Currently, only Minden, Dysart and Cardiff have official plans and Bradley said much of the planning done by those townships will be lost without the continuity of a county-wide official plan.

Minden councillor Mike Maher asked Stagg who would fund the development of official plans for the other seven municipalities. Stagg said each municipality will be responsible for preparing, and paying for, their own plans and all the townships will share in the cost of the county-wide plan.

The cost of developing the county plan is estimated at \$540,000, a pricetag that Maher said frightens him.

Stagg said the money, which will be spent over a three to five year period, indicates the time it will take to prepare the document and consult with the townships and the public. He said the cost would be the same for either the

one-tier or the two-tier structure.

Puffer said the county will be looking at three existing official plans and Dysart, Minden and Cardiff might be compensated if information from their documents are used in the county's plan.

Some municipalities have expressed the concern that development of the county plan might result in the emergence of an expensive planning bureaucracy at the county level.

Bradley attempted to allay those fears and stressed that Stagg and one secretary are the only staff needed to develop the plan. Any additional work would be done by outside consultants, he said. If, as expected, the two-tier structure is adopted, Bradley said there would be no reason to expand the county's planning staff once the plan is in place.

Minden councillor Bob Sisson ques-

tioned the wisdom of pursuing a county plan when only three of the 10 municipalities have their own official plans.

"It's fine to get on the wagon, but seven other townships don't have a wagon," he said. "I think you're getting way ahead of yourselves."

Puffer said that by supporting the official plan, townships are indicating their intention to develop their own plans. She said some municipalities might work on their official plans in conjunction with the county's efforts or could wait until after the county plan is finished.

There was some concern that if townships don't adopt their own plans, they will use the county plan and have their planning paid for by the other municipalities.

Stagg said municipalities that rely solely on the county plan would be giving up

control of local planning matters and he said he doesn't think any municipality would be willing to do that.

The spectre of restructuring was also raised as councillors asked about the effect that the possible amalgamation of townships might have on the official plan.

Puffer said the first phase of developing the plan will involve drafting the essential county policies. She said any changes that result from amalgamation can be incorporated into the official plan before it is submitted to the province in 1994.

Only Minden and Snowdon have yet to pass resolutions re-confirming their commitment to the county official plan. Puffer says she hopes to have responses from all the townships by the Feb. 20, meeting of county council.

Dysart wary of losing control over planning

by Susan Grober

Dysart council wants assurance that it won't be stripped of control with the passing of a county-wide official plan.

"I am opposed to a measure that's so extreme it will stop the county dead," said Councillor Murray Fearrey, in a plea to ensure Dysart will have power over development in the municipality.

The matter was discussed by council at a special meeting last Monday with planner Mark Stagg, Warden Carol Puffer, and Chief Administrative Officer Gary McKnight representing the county.

"I don't want you to tell me where we can put an industrial park," said Fearrey. "A county official plan should be a very general plan. And if it goes beyond that, we've missed the boat."

Fearrey also balked at Stagg's estimated \$540,000 price-tag for implementing the first phase of the plan over four years. Stagg said up to 50 per cent will be funded by the province.

Dysart councillors worried that the county has been moving too far ahead on the project without consulting each individual municipality for input.

"I think it's probably fair to say we've backed up on this," Stagg said to answer this concern.

The county must decide whether to implement a one- or two-tier system. Under a two-tier system, general concerns would be outlined in a county official plan, while specific concerns would be addressed for each municipality in separate official plans.

Because Dysart already has its own official plan, and is wary of losing control, council unanimously passed a resolution supporting the county official plan, provided that a two-tier system bylaw is adopted.

According to the resolution, if there is any movement for a one-tier plan, then

municipalities should be contacted, and a two-third vote of county council would be required prior to implementation of county issues and policies.

Puffer said those municipalities will official plans will be re-imposed if a portion is used on a county-wide basis.

"I agree there should be compensation, but we don't know how much until we know how much of the existing municipal official plans will be used," she said.

Stagg said the county official plan will simply fill the gaps. "You've got your own little settlement pattern within yourself," he acknowledged.

Fearrey stressed that Dysart shouldn't be subject to stricter controls through the county official plan, such as lake capacity studies.

Puffer said Cardiff Township has performed studies on its lakes "to the extreme." She added that the policies will be drawn up according to ministry guidelines.

"That's the problem — the ministry has the strictest guidelines," said Fearrey. "I don't think anyone on this council will want to give up any power... Cardiff did exactly as (the ministry) wanted them to. They fell into the trap."

"I'm afraid, because you're going to be led by the Ministry of the Environment right down the pipe," he said.

"We're going to have to do it anyway," said Puffer. "Or are we just going to pollute all the lakes?"

Puffer assured Fearrey that Dysart will still have specific control through its official plan.

"If we amend our official plan, and it doesn't conform to the county official plan, are you going to approve of that?"

asked Fearrey. "Will county policies be flexible enough so we can avoid constant amendments? The principle is fine, as long as we don't get our hands tied."

Municipalities will have the freedom to be more lax or strict than the county in certain areas, as long as it's reasonable, said Stagg.

He also said the purpose of the plan isn't to stop development. "A large percentage here work in construction. If you don't provide places for that development to take place, then you'll have a shrinkage."

Stagg said the main official plan will outline county interests. "The county is no more than a family of municipalities. And county interest will be defined by each individual municipality."

"The trouble is we need clarification," said Fearrey. "Is that county interest to develop one municipality and to take away from us?"

Stagg said those county concerns will come out of discussions with the municipalities down the line.

Reeve Bill Davis suggested that deputy-reeves be included in the county discussions, because the county's Management Committee is just made up of all reeves.

Davis also noted that his council is hesitant to show approval for the plan at this early stage. "The fear is if we sign a resolution, we'll basically sign a blank check."

Deputy-Reeve Lloyd Leadbeater said he feels planning should be more open and should go beyond the committee level. "One difficulty I have is sometimes the committee makes a decision, and we don't get into discussion at county council."

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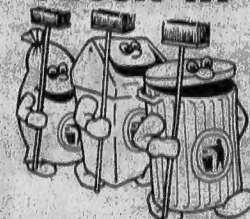
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Mushers leave a special gift for a special child

The annual sled dog derby is rapidly fading into memories for most people. However, for one young Minden resident, tangible evidence of the derby will be with her for the remainder of the winter.

Seven-year-old Stephanie Stevens is a special needs child. She is unable to walk without assistance of a walker and uses a wheelchair to get around. But, wheelchairs and winter weather don't mix and so while Stephanie could join her fellow grade two students on the playground during the summer months, once the snow came she was forced to remain indoors for lunch and recesses.

Teacher's aide Linda Brandon was describing their dilemma to Leigh and Susan

Gilchrist of Brechin, Ontario at a sled dog race January 5 & 6 near Barrie. The Gilchrists thought they might have a solution to the problem and offered to help.

Two weekends ago while the dogs were running up Minden's Main Street, Linda Brandon took delivery of a full-sized racing sled from the Gilchrists. The handle on the sled was lower, as it had been built especially for their daughter Islay. The Gilchrists thought the sled, with its deep basket, would make an ideal vehicle to allow Stephanie to get out with her classmates and enjoy the winter.

Last Friday, with plump snowflakes swirling out of the sky, Stephanie got her first chance to try it. Two

sturdy grade eight lads, John Kovaks and Scott Walker, provided the muscle power and Stephanie took her first winter spin around the playground. Her teacher, Mrs. Newell and teacher's aide Lynn Raback were there with Linda Brandon as the sled moved effortlessly across the new fallen snow. She was obviously delighted to be out with her friends enjoying the fun of the winter season. (The ear to ear grin on Stephanie's face said it all.)

"It was most generous of the Gilchrists to lend us this sled," Linda Brandon said. "It is perfect for Stephanie, and will mean she will not be cut off from her classmates, just because it is winter."



Cacooned in a blanket, Stephanie Stevens gets a swirling taste of winter fun from the back of a sled powered by Grade Eight students John Kovaks and Scott Walker. Accompanying her are teacher's aide Linda Brandon, teacher Yvonne Newell and aide Lynn Raback. Leigh and Sue Gilchrist, mushers from Brechin, have lent the sled to Stephanie to assist her in enjoying outdoor activities during the winter.

Dysart wants re-assessment delayed for more study

by Susan Grober

Dysart has sent a clear message to county council saying it's too soon to accept market value re-assessment.

In a unanimous decision last Monday, Dysart council voted against a Ministry of Revenue proposal for county-wide re-assessment based on 1988 values.

"It would be in the best interest of this county to defer market value assessment until a complete impact study could be done in the municipalities," says Reeve Bill Davis, who adds that re-assessment would mean "a tremendous shift in my municipality."

Davis is concerned that many who have retired to lakefront property would be hit hard by the change, and might not be able to afford a tax increase.

"It puts a burden on the elderly people," he says. "I'm afraid if we made this shift, we'd be in arrears and would have to borrow more money. It could put us in a worse situation."

Also, with tourism as Haliburton's top industry, Davis feels a tax increase for seasonal residents will affect the cash registers of the county.

"Given the economic climate that we just went through, it would have a negative impact to shift that burden," he says.

Davis also doubts that the proposal will provide a more equitable way of determining taxes, because it is based on 1988 resale values. "It's a speculative sort of assessment," he says.

Davis says it's unfair that many properties would be re-assessed at a higher value simply because they front a lake under the proposed system.

"But we have a lot of seasonal residents on roads that are not maintained. I always thought taxes were based on the services you receive. What assurance do I have that that would be taken into account?"

Councillor Murray Fearrey says if re-assessment were accepted today, municipalities such as Dysart and Sherborne would lose provincial grant money which

the county would then have to provide.

Dysart receives grants in lieu of taxation for land the province has taken over at the northern end of the municipality in Algonquin Park. "Under this new formula, we would lose about \$40,000," says Fearrey.

Unless the province can prove this funding won't be affected, Fearrey says it's just too soon to accept re-assessment.

"I would want a letter from the ministry, but that hasn't been requested by anyone yet," he says. "I'm sorry, we shouldn't do that unless those problems are resolved."

A number of seasonal residents attended Monday's meeting to protest market value re-assessment, including Jerry Strickland, president of the Miskwabi Area Cottagers' Association, and executive director of the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations.

In a prepared statement, Strickland says the ministry's proposal includes statistics which are incomplete and misleading.

"They fail to take into account the impact of greater growth in total assessment by each of our municipalities, compared to the others, and the resulting shifts in shares of the high costs of education and county services like welfare," he says.

Because of this, he says the ministry's projected modest increase in Muskoka turned out to be four times greater. "You need to base your decision on real numbers, but if you ask (the Ministry of Revenue) to provide them, they'll claim that that's beyond their mandate. But you're stuck with the consequences."

Strickland also says the ministry wants to take away local authority to review and decide on future re-assessments.

Bill 12, passed in 1987, permits a county to apply to the Minister of Revenue to institute a uniform assessment update throughout the county, making it mandatory to update assessments every four years thereafter.

Strickland says council will sign away authority forever if it agrees to update.

"If you agree to revenue's scheme, you'll control only one of three variables of tax evaluation — the mill rate," he says. "You've already lost authority on the equalization factor that are determined each July by Queen's Park, and you'll be giving up your control over what year is appropriate for re-assessment."

Finally, Strickland argues that 1988, the base year the ministry wants accepted for re-assessment, was a peak year for property values.

He says that 1992, the next scheduled re-assessment year, would be more reasonable and produce less "massive swings in values."

On behalf of the cottagers' association, Strickland recommended that council take the following measures:

—maintain assessment at the present

base, and take the time to understand the implications of re-assessment at 1988 or 1992 values;

—support new provincial studies on tax reform;

—support the removal of financing of education by property tax, and replace it by a more income related basis which reflect ability to pay; and

—encourage the province to increase its grant funding to all Ontario school boards.

In the meantime, Reeve Davis says he's not thoroughly convinced that market value re-assessment is the way to go.

"The system seems to be working relatively well now, and I don't know whether we should be monkeying around with it they way economic times are now."

Subdivision approved by PAC

Minden's Planning Advisory Committee has approved a proposal for a 50-lot subdivision at Hart Lodge.

The plan was presented at last Wednesday's meeting by two representatives of the Granite Group, the company negotiating to buy an interest in the Highway 35 resort.

The company, which has been involved in the management of the resort with owners John Mateer and Bob White for the past year, is proposing the subdivision as part of a plan to make Hart Lodge more viable.

Anyone purchasing one of the one-acre lots will have use of resort facilities, like the tennis court.

According to Granite representatives, the lots will sell for less than many waterfront lots in the county.

The Granite Group proposal has already been approved by various provincial ministries, the health unit and Minden's planner Bob Lehman.

The subdivision was unanimously approved by all members of the planning committee at the meeting. Because council members Bern Berry, Ray Moore and Lewis Stevens were among those at the meeting, the plan should easily receive council approval.

The Granite Group has a great deal of experience in the tourism industry and is

involved in the operation of half-a-dozen resorts, including Windemere Cottages on Kennesis Lake.

Other plans the company has in store for the resort include removal of the cottages along Twelve Mile Lake to create a waterfront park, expansion of the lodge itself and turning the gravel pit on the property into a recreational area.

Once the subdivision project has received municipal approval, a survey and hydrology study will be undertaken. A Plan of Subdivision should be ready for submission to the province in about six months. Provincial approval can take as long as one to three years.

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Leap of faith

Municipal politicians are being asked to take a leap of faith in endorsing the proposed county-wide official plan.

If endorsed, the county official plan will introduce a new element into the local political structure - county involvement in planning.

Currently, individual municipalities have had a relatively free hand in determining what constitutes proper planning in their area.

The county's role is limited to the Land Division Committee, which only rarely objects to a municipal decision, and county council approval of road allowance closings, a mere formality.

It's not surprising then that some municipalities are leary about the possibility of losing their autonomy to a formal county official plan. Minden and Dysart councillors are especially wary in light of the fact they already have their own official plans.

The question is, which is more important - the desire of municipalities to maintain a free hand on planning matters or the need for a comprehensive county plan that will address common issues.

Much of the doubt arises from the fact that until the county plan is drafted, no one can be really sure how it will effect the relationship between the county and the individual municipalities.

Ideally, the county plan will clearly define that relationship, uniting the county on key issues while at the same time recognizing and promoting the unique characteristics of each township.

Without the full support of all participants a county official plan would quickly become ineffectual.

As in any major decision the risk of doing the wrong thing is greater than doing nothing.

But we believe the county and municipalities have no real option but to take that leap of faith. With the area facing the prospect of tremendous growth in the years to come, and all of the pressures such growth will bring to bear, it is essential for Haliburton County to have a clear plan of where it is going and how it wants to get there.

Developing an official plan that will satisfy all the needs of all the townships will be daunting, but with a large measure of co-operation and political will the task shouldn't prove insurmountable.

The future of the county depends on it.



The life and hard times of England's effete elite

Back in the early 18th century, when Canada was a mere frontier abstraction of beaver pelts and bad whiskey, England had a society with more layers than a Black Forest cake. If you were at the top it was very, very comfortable. In 1722, a blue-chip filly by the name of Charlotte Finch hitched up with an aging buck by the name of Charles Seymour. Now Charlotte, being the daughter of the Earl of Nottingham, had pretty good papers, but the man she chose for a husband was so aristocratic he made Queen Victoria look like a table dancer. Charles Seymour was the sixth Duke of Somerset and did not intend to let anyone forget it for as long as the cerulean hemoglobin continued to pulse through his veins, Charles Sey-

Black 'n White

by Arthur Black

mour was a snob — but he was such an utter, 24-carot snob that you almost had to forgive him for it. The story goes that once at a dinner party poor Charlotte made the mistake of tapping playfully on her husband's arm with her fan. Instantly the Duke stepped back, drew himself up and fixed his wife with a haughty, withering stare.

"Mad, me" he hissed, "my first wife was a Percy, and she never took such a liberty."

Ah, me. They just don't make jerks like that anymore.

As a matter of fact, they haven't been making them for some time. Up until the First World War the British aristocracy comprised perhaps the wealthiest — and certainly the vainest — ruling class this poor old planet's ever had to put up with. They were for the most part "landed gentry" pedigreed pantywaists with thousands of acres of estates and land holdings and not the slightest idea of what to do with it all. Most of them disdained the idea of getting their elegant fingers soiled in business, which meant that

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Opinion

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FOCA's threats over re-assessment unfair to councils

Editor:

The 1991 Haliburton County Council will address more contentious issues this year than have been on the agenda for years - waste management, County

Official Plan, county restructuring, new county facilities, the growing welfare and social services programs, the updating of fair Market Value Re-Assessment, the hospital beds promised, just to name

a few. This is in conjunction with all the day to day operations of the libraries, roads, construction and maintenance, Gypsy Moth infestation, mussel infestation, acid rain and environmental issues,

budget and financing.

I take exception to Mr. Jerry Strickland's letter to the editors of our local news media, not the original copy sent to me, but the add on of a veiled threat of expulsion from Council, coercing Councillors if they don't agree with his thesis in regard to Market Value Re-Assessment. To me, this is a travesty of a hypocrite, and grossly unfair to hard-working Councillors on behalf of all ratepayers in the county. To procrastinate decisions, multiplies the problems.

The question, in my opinion, is not so much the taxes paid for municipal or county portions, but mostly the 55 - 60% education portion on a recreational property or second property. I agree with F.O.C.A.'s premise, as I also own property in various municipalities outside of Haliburton. However, this is a provincial law, and until, if ever, it is changed, municipalities are required to collect both municipal and education taxes on all properties. Go after your Board of Education members.

If I own a \$100,000 Market Value Assessment property purchased in 1987 and pay \$1,000 taxes, and you own a similar valued property purchased in 1980 for \$50,000 and only pay \$500 taxes, is this fair? The disparities continue to grow year after year. Market Value Assessment seems to me to be the only

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Noel is obsolete as an English word meaning Christmas

Editor:

Elaine Moll accepts Noel as current English after consulting a cheap dictionary that omits reference to obsolescence. I trusted the Oxford English Dictionary (OED), from which we learn:

- 1) Noel is French, derived from Latin.
- 2) It entered English about 1350.
- 3) As originally spelt, it meant Christmas carol.
- 4) Spelt Nowel, it meant (a) Christmas, (b) a shout of joy.

I think Usage 3 is no longer current. If Moll doubts this, let her ask someone to

hum his favorite noel, noting his reaction! As for Usage 4a, the most recent citation is 1559; the OED maintains the word is *obsolete* in this sense!

To be fair, Moll must admit that Usage 4b is Noel's one surviving expression in English: a joyfull shout that once hailed Christ's birth but which, after centuries of repetition in old English carols, has become as meaningless as the Beatles' yeah, yeah, yeah!

Though I doubt Noel still means "carol" in French NOEL is XMAS. That this word was deliberately ignored

in a legally designated English-speaking community is a slap in the face for 99 percent of Haliburton County residents. Did anyone notice the word XMAS adorning Quebec liquor stores?

Gisele Russell is right. For me, Christmas is a meaningless festival steeped in hypocrisy. But, had the LCBO used a dozen languages, including Cree, I wouldn't have fussed. It was the board's lickspittle subservience to Ontario's French minority, and its certitude that no dyed-in-the-wool Canadian would dare "spoil" Christmas by complaining,

that got my goat.

I was amazed that such a seemingly knowledgeable person as Moll could cram so many errors into one short letter. What I took to be French really is French. Noel is not "a perfectly acceptable English word", it's damned near obsolete. I don't call myself an Englishman; I am an Englishman. And if my knowledge of English is no hell, how the hell does Moll rate her own?

Pete Stickland,
Harcourt.

English lords are long in name, short in usefulness

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most of them faded away, nibbled to death by taxes and creeping democracy.

By the end of the First World War the common British folk weren't bowing and scraping in the presence of aristocrats anymore. British Prime Minister David Lloyd George dismissed the House of Lords as merely "ordinary men, chosen accidentally from the unemployed". He further devalued the upper class by announcing that knighthoods, baronetcies and peerages were for sale. Henceforth, anybody could put a Lord or Lady in front of their monicker — providing they had the scratch. Britain was transforming itself from a nation of forelock-tuggers to a nation of shopkeepers. Aristocracy was a bad investment. "A fully equipped duke" grumbled

Lloyd George, "costs as much as two battleships; and dukes are just as great a terror and they last longer."

Even the staunch British aristocracy could not long survive such an onslaught. By the 1950's it was largely extinct. Gone forever, people staggering under the weight of such names as The Honourable Sir Adolphus Frederick Octavius Liddell; Conrad Le Despenser Roden Noel, or, my personal favourite — I would surrender my Beatles record collection to be at a party and hear the butler socrusly announce the arrival of "Admiral of the Fleet Sir Reginald Aylmer Ranfurly Plunkett-Erle-Drax."

These people really lived! And supped their tea with their pinkie fingers crooked just so! And now they're all gone.

Well, virtually all gone. A few bluebloods

survive, but they pay a price in shabbiness. The Earl of Pembroke is in pornographic films. Lord Teviot punches tickets on a London bus. Lord Normanton models trenchcoats for Burberry and Lord Simon Conyngham dishes out potato salad in an English delicatessen.

Some claim British aristocracy is alive, just dormant, but journalist Nancy Mitford thinks the question is irrelevant. "An aristocracy in a republic is like a chicken whose head has been cut off" says Mitford. "It may run about in a lovely way, but in fact it's dead."

And good riddance, I suppose. Better to have a Lord folding serviettes than bullying serfs.

Plus, look on the bright side: what a role model for Canadian Senate Reform!

The V.O.N. Recognizing 50 years of nursing needy people in their own homes

by Susan Grober

Sharon Marsh checks a pulse, pressing two fingers to the patient's wrist and counting as the second hand sweeps across her watch.

The patient complains of chest pains. But since it could just be indigestion, she stubbornly insists on going out that afternoon.

"You're not going to the bank," says Marsh.

"Yes I am, I have to," insists the patient.

Marsh explains that the patient's symptoms could be serious, and insists that she visit her doctor. "I have to be blunt with her. She won't listen."

Marsh is concerned. It's early afternoon, and she's already seen four other patients right in their homes. But it's all in a day's work for a member of the Victorian Order of Nurses.

This week, during VON week, the Peterborough, Victoria, and Haliburton branch VON celebrates its 50th anniversary of serving people in their homes.

Since its introduction in the county in June 1974, the organization has provided service seven days a week, 24 hours a day, with five to six nurses on the road daily.

The Haliburton VON services about 120 clients and makes 600 to 800 visits each month in the county.

Marsh has been with the VON for the past two years. And *The Times* joined her last week to get an inside look at a busy day in the life of a travelling registered nurse.

The first stop is Isobel Robertson's home at Hunter Creek Estates. Marsh checks her blood pressure, and pours her medication for the week.

Recently, Robertson has been visited by an old friend, Jack Wilkes, who also appreciates the VON service.

"Without it, I'd have to go into a home," says Wilkes, who is serviced by the VON at his home in Toronto.

The VON give him weekly blood tests, take his temperature, check his blood pressure, and fill needles for his daily insulin injections. Marsh asks if his nails need cutting, but he declines.

"They're awfully good, just couldn't be better," says Robertson, who has been visited by the VON since she took a bad fall in early 1989.

"Without it, I'd crawl into a hole, and pull the hole in after me," she says.

Having a nurse come into her home each Monday provides Robertson with an independence she wouldn't have otherwise. Like others helped by the VON, Robertson treasures this independence. She's lived at Hunter Creek Estates for about 10 years, is proud to own her own home.

"I have a gazebo, and when the summer comes I sit out there and I'm never alone," she says with a smile.

Robertson also receives assistance in cleaning her house from the Homemaking Service. The Homemakers work closely with the VON, along with the Home Care Program, local hospitals, and family physicians.

Marsh says the VON work out a system with family members and Homemakers to help patients with things over the course of the week, such as taking their medication regularly or changing the dressing on a wound.



VON Sharon Marsh examines patient Margaret Hill during her daily rounds in Haliburton County.

"We're not trying to change how they live, just make it possible for them to stay at home," she says.

Extending a helping hand

Tootie is 65-years-old today. Marsh holds her hand, and wishes her well.

Tootie's eyes sparkle as she laughs and jokes with Marsh, Lois Titus of Home Care, and her sister, Carol Strong. The three surround Tootie's bed and sing a chorus of *Happy Birthday*.

Margaret "Tootie" Hill has been bed-ridden since she was 11. "She doesn't do anything for herself," says Strong. "She's got a double-whammy, because she's also mentally handicapped."

"She's like a child in an adult's body."

Strong took over the care of her sister from their mother more than eight years ago. And in 1988, when Strong required eye surgery, she began receiving assistance in this care from the VON.

"We were very proud of our family until two years ago because nobody knew about us," says Strong. "We look after ourselves."

In her early years, Tootie was able to get around with a walker. At age 11, she went to Orillia for therapy for three months.

"She went out for therapy, and that's what she came back like," Strong says, motioning toward her older sister, who lay curled in a hospital bed in her room. "She came back like a prisoner of war."

On Tuesdays and Fridays, the nurses help bathe Tootie, monitor her vitals, change her catheter, and give her enemas.

"I can't say enough about the VON — they've been a great help," says Strong.

Still, even without their help, she would care for her sister at her Lutterworth home. "Tootie's deathly afraid of hospitals.

Has been ever since she was a kid."

From her bed, Tootie calls for Lois Titus and talks about the hockey game. Tootie is hockey crazy. Amongst medical supplies and implements, a television set sits in the bedroom, even though Tootie can't see very well. She's had a few strokes.

Strong says she would have to rely on doctors more often if it weren't for the three VON nurses who visit Tootie. "We know her ups and downs, and the girls are right in tune with her."

Strong feels more people should have access to care-at-home services.

"Keeping people like Tootie in the house relieves the government of a lot of money, because it doesn't cost as much as hospitalization. If anything, there needs to be more funding for the Home Care and the VON."

Four-year-old Daniel, Strong's grandson, takes time away from Mr. Dress Up to poke his blond head into Tootie's bedroom.

"She just loves to talk with him," says Strong. "He takes in books and sits on the bed. They've got quite a rapport, haven't they?"

"Oh yes," Marsh says as she packs her bag to leave. "They're fantastic together."

Flexibility is the key

Marsh's car negotiates the icy, winding road as she heads for the house of her next patient in Minden. A usual day runs from 8:30 to 4:30 p.m. for this mother of two, who packs a sandwich for lunch on the road.

A VON averages about 150 km a day, and travels within areas as far reaching as the Norland boundary line, Cardiff, and Highway 60 near Algonquin Park.

Now working part-time, Marsh

started full-time with VON when she and her husband first moved here from Oshawa.

Marsh finds this job requires her to be more flexible. "You really have to be knowledgeable about a broad field of nursing. And you learn to be very organized."

The people she visits are certainly appreciative. "For some people, that's the only event of the week. You become a friend to them, or a family."

VON nurses service a diverse group of patients, including seniors, school-age children, mothers and babies, surgical clients, medical clients, and the terminally ill.

"Out here in the boonies, it can be extremely heavy," says Marsh, who has worked with palliative patients. "There's a lot of pain control there."

Of course, a VON nurse isn't the only one in charge of caring for patients at home.

"Some of the onus is on the family," says Marsh. "You need someone there who is capable, and willing to learn. Sometimes I wonder if they can handle it all, but they really do."

"It gives me a break"

Leslie Northey is in the bath preparing to have his dressing changed. In November, the 59-year-old had a kidney removed because of a tumour. There was a collection of blood after the operation, so a drain tube was eventually placed in his side.

Northey's wife, Audrey, is a retired registered nurse who does the dressings each night and changes the bag which collects the blood.

But she's been under a lot of pressure,

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Service provides comfort to patients, family

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with her husband in and out of hospitals over the past few years. He's also had two liver transplants, one in 1988 and the second a year later.

Having the VON nurses come in each day to help has been a welcome relief. "I quite appreciate it, because it gives me a break," she says.

Northey says his kidney trouble was likely aggravated by the medication he's been taking. It's been a long recovery process, and he's glad to be out of the hospital.

"Here I can do things a lot easier," he says. "I can sort of go into my own routine."

It takes considerable strain off Audrey knowing she can rely on the VON for help at any time. "If something goes wrong, then they're always there," says her husband.

Marsh examines a pair of scissors which Audrey sterilized in boiling water. "They're kind of dull, and a little rusty," Audrey says.

Retired from the Minden Hospital, she knows what equipment is necessary and could do the job herself, if she had to.

"Even though I could do it, it's just kind of a break knowing I don't have to. I can relax a little."

Care and concern

Ann McAdam is one woman who you just can't tie down to a hospital bed. The North Water Street resident had a quadruple bypass in November, and couldn't wait to be back home.

"You're too active after major surgery," Marsh warns McAdam, who plays organ next door at St. Paul's Anglican Church.

McAdam is visited by a VON nurse twice a week to check her out and change the dressings on her left leg, where a vein was removed to use in her heart. In between time, she does her own dressings.

After Marsh examines McAdam in her bedroom, she tells the woman to wait downstairs while she phones the doctor to make an appointment.

McAdam is disgruntled, but appreciative. If it weren't for VON, her stay in hospital would have been a lot longer.

"I think it's the greatest thing in the world," she says of the service. "Without them, I don't know where I'd be."

"Now that I'm doing my own thing at home, I need that constant reassurance, because without that I'd be completely lost."

Along with reassurance, McAdam sometimes gets a verbal kick in the pants from the nurses who are concerned because she refuses to sit still. "But I ignore all that," she says with a wink. "I always figure, I'll just do a little cleaning. Or I'll just do a little laundry."

McAdam was released from hospital after the stitches were out of her chest, and the staples removed from her leg. "My incisions were open, basically. To come home in the condition I was in, there was no way I could have managed."

The first couple of days, McAdam's leg had to be dressed by a nurse twice each day. "It was so bad — it was an awful mess," she cringes at the memory.

"Things were still open in my chest, and dead tissue had to be cut away so it would heal," she says. "I couldn't have done that."

If she'd had to stay in the hospital much longer than she did, McAdam says she would have had the "screaming meemies."

"The last time I was in there, I begged the doctor to let me come home. I'd had enough of hospitals."

"I wanted out. But on the same account, I was scared because I didn't feel well enough to come out."

Marsh comes down the stairs, and informs McAdam she has an appointment with the doctor that afternoon.

As she puts on her coat, Marsh urges McAdam to leave as soon as possible.

And she urges the woman to leave a message with the VON answering service upon her return.

"We just want to know you're okay," she says with concern.

Such genuine concern is obviously typical of Sharon Marsh, and other VON nurses like her.

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Girl pleads guilty to possession of narcotics

The following cases were heard by Provincial Court Judge George Inrig in Minden last Wednesday. Jerry Woron acted as Crown Attorney.

Trial date set

A 19-year-old charged with a string of break and enter charges will appear for trial in Lindsay Provincial Court on January 22.

Carl Van Andrus faces 21 counts of breaking, entering and committing a criminal offence, 20 counts of possession of property, and eight charges of breaking and entering with the intent to commit an offence.

The incidents occurred during the fall of 1990.

Break and enter

A Bicroft man pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking and entering into a home with intent to commit an indictable offence.

On November 11, Gregory Konarski, 21, and a young offender were seen coming out the front porch door of a vacant home in Cardiff Township at 7 p.m.

Police weren't able to immediately attend the scene because of other occurrences at the time, court was told.

But a woman who was looking after the house investigated and found tracks to and from the house, footprints on top of a chair by a window, and two fresh cigarette butts in the toilet.

When later questioned by police, Konarski said he only went in the house to get warm. He also said he "simply walked through the front door" to enter the house.

Crown Attorney Woron said there is very little furniture in the house, which has been unoccupied since November 1.

Konarski has no criminal record, but Woron said the young offender has a record for property offences.

In the courts

Judge Inrig suspended sentence, and put Konarski on one year probation. "If you get into any other trouble, I can still sentence you," he warned Konarski.

Teenager appears for narcotics possession

An 18-year-old girl pleaded guilty to possessing marijuana while on Haliburton Highlands Secondary School property.

On November 22, the student and her 16-year-old friend were caught smoking regular cigarettes outside the high school by Vice-Principal Gary Brohman, court was told.

The girl then turned over a plastic bag containing six marijuana cigarettes, and Brohman contacted the police.

"I bought it some time ago," the girl said when questioned by the police. "I took it to school today, and got caught."

Federal Crown Attorney Lorne Chester said the girl took drug counselling after the incident, and hasn't smoked marijuana since.

The girl returns to court for sentencing on March 13. Judge Inrig ordered a pre-sentence report.

Young Offender fined

A 16-year-old charged under the Young Offender's Act was fined \$75 and given six months probation for failing to appear in court on December 7.

Because the accused has a full-time job, Judge Inrig turned down Crown Attorney Woron's suggestion for community service work.

An additional charge for attempting to obstruct a police officer on August 7 was withdrawn at Woron's request.

Impaired charges dismissed

Impaired driving charges against five

individuals were dismissed because of unreasonable delay.

In each separate incident, charges were laid last April, a delay of about nine months to last week's trial date.

The Supreme Court outlines six- to eight-months as the outside limit of a reasonable waiting period. The accused

have a right to trial within a reasonable amount of time under the Charter of Rights.

The judge also dismissed a charge against Bryan Lloyd Jones for failing to stop while police gave pursuit.

Crown Attorney Woron made no submission in any of the cases.

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Canadians will do their part in war says MP Scott

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

American-led forces in the Persian Gulf had no choice but to attack Iraq, says Victoria-Haliburton's member of parliament.

"They had no choice in my opinion," said Bill Scott, a member of Brian Mulroney's Conservative government. "Economic sanctions weren't working and Iraq would have become stronger the more time it had."

Planes from the multi-

national force started bombing Iraq last Wednesday night and Scott said he found out about the offensive from news bulletins. "We knew they were probably going to go, but we found out about it with the rest of the world," he said.

Scott was interviewed on Thursday from his office in Ottawa while he waited for more details about the fighting.

In taking the offensive

against Saddam Hussein, Scott said the Americans were taking advantage of the timing. "The time was ripe," he said. "If there's such a thing as a successful strike, last night's was one."

Canada has 24 CF-18 fighters, two destroyers and a supply ship in the region. Opposition parties have called on the government to limit our forces' participation in the hostilities.

But as one of the members of the 28-nation coalition,

Scott said the involvement of Canadian forces will be determined by the coalition's American commanders. "We'll have a role to play, but it might not be a major role," he said.

Scott said he's confident that Canadian personnel will be able to handle themselves in a combat situation, but admits he

hopes it doesn't come to that.

Minden was recently the location of an anti-war rally organized by the Victoria-Haliburton members of Women for Peace and attended by people from both counties.

Saying he shares concern for the safety of Canadians in the Gulf, Scott said he

too is dismayed at the outbreak of hostilities.

"I don't like war," he said. "I thought the days of war were over, but we didn't expect there are people in the world like Saddam Hussein."

"No sane person wants war, but it's here. I don't know what more could have been done to stave it off."

Townhouse project approved

Construction on a 22-unit townhouse project in Minden village should be underway by June.

The proposal, which is being sponsored by the Staunworth Non-Profit Housing Corporation, received approval from Minden's Planning Advisory Committee at last Wednesday's meeting.

The location chosen for the townhouses is a parcel of property owned by Mabel Brannigan and located just off Prince St. near Highway 35.

Staunworth member Gerald Bain says the project is the result of the 1988 family housing survey conducted by the Haliburton County Social Action Committee that indicated the need for low-cost accommodation in the area.

The Ontario Ministry of Housing approved the Social Action Committee's application for 20 units of housing and the Staunworth corporation agreed to act as sponsors for the project.

Bain said some of the rental units will be available

at a subsidized rent and others will be rented out at current market-value rates. Occupancy will be made available by application, and Bain says the Social Action Committee and Staunworth will work together on tenant selection. As with the two seniors buildings near the arena, Staunworth will own and maintain the townhouses.

If the project can be built for less than ministry-approved costs, Bain said Staunworth will try and get approval for the two additional units.

Impaired driving charges laid

Impaired Drivers

January 12 - Kurt Graf, 57, of Toronto was charged with Impaired operation of a motor vehicle and being over the legal limit of 80 mgs.

January 12 - Andris John Urdris, 28, of Downsview was charged with Impaired operation of a snow vehicle and being over the legal limit.

January 13 - Robert Lloyd Alden, 23, of Wilberforce was charged with Impaired operation of a motor vehicle and being over the legal limit.

Snow Vehicle Accident

Toby Pustai of Scarborough was injured when the snow vehicle he was operating along a trail left the trail. He was rounding

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a curve when the snow vehicle went over the embankment and the driver was thrown off.

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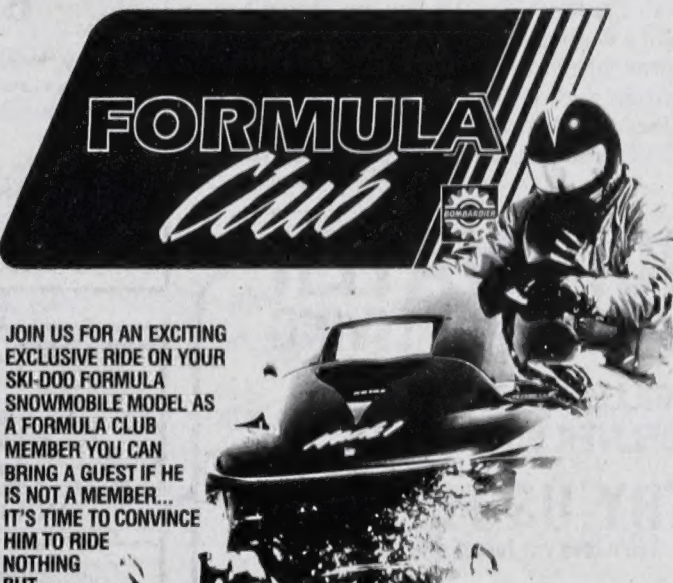
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Emotional conflict is the result of the Gulf War

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I watched with dismay and horror as news of the night raid on Baghdad signaled the beginning of what many of us feared the most - a great destructive war in the Gulf.

Even as I listened to the sketchy first reports, one part of me said "It had to come to this: We could not have waited any longer". Another part screamed "No! No! This is not the way. More imagination and resources could have been used. War is not an answer!"

The reactions this conflict will produce in the minds of many will be divided. Those of us of another generation will remember sons, daughters, husbands, wives, friends, lovers who went away and never returned or who returned and were changed forever.

Murphy's Law applies here as anywhere - war is always easier to get into than it is to get out of. It would be wise if we were not swayed by the rhetoric of conflict or the cartoon - like portrayal of the enemy.

One thing I am sure of. War is not an answer. It is an act of desperation by authorities who have more arms than imagination. Responding to violence by means of violence makes us no better than the enemy.

Five days after the government of Iraq invaded Kuwait on August 2, the United States Administration, without recourse to any attempts at a peace process through the United Nations, sent troops to the Persian Gulf to force Iraq's withdrawal. Three days later the Mulroney government followed in its support of the U.S. action, thereby ignoring its traditional mode of peace-keeping through the United Nations.

The heightening of tension, the refusal of Hussein to negotiate, the imposition of an arbitrary, the massive buildup of arms and personnel on both sides gave the war we are now experiencing an eeriness of apocalyptic inevitability. This need not have happened.

We have to remember that during the Iran - Iraq war the Soviet Union, France and the United States armed Iraq to fight in that conflict. We have to remember that, as one commentator said, if Kuwait's National export were carrots, no one would have bothered with the invasion. We have to remember that this is not a war against "naked aggression" but a deadly symptom of a long-standing mistrust between the Arab nations and the West. This mistrust is not altogether unearned by the West, and it may soon be complicated by shifting alliances and complex webs

Directions

by Edward Moll

of relationships between the Arab states as they seek to denounce Iraq's actions without betraying their neighbours by appearing to defend the actions of the U.N.

The U.S. military staff may boast of a superior knowledge of Iraqi missiles, troops, and air force locations, but they have an appalling ignorance of the heart of the people.

This war, any war is not the answer to resolving conflict between the nations. Hussein was wrong to invade Kuwait. The United States was wrong to so hastily choose a military solution. The Canadian government was wrong to abandon its role in the United Nations as a peace keeper. Now we will never know whether sanctions will have worked. And the war will raise more questions than solve problems.

A hope was expressed a long time ago by a man whose nation was no stranger to conflict, invasion and war. Isaiah wrote: "The Lord God will judge between nations and will settle disputes for many peoples. They will beat their swords into plough shares their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will not take up sword against nation nor will they train for war anymore."

I ask you, dear readers to join me in an act of hope,

and to remind ourselves of God's promise in the midst of the storm of war.

I am lighting two candles, one for peace in the Gulf, and one for peace in the Baltic. I could light more candles for many more things. But for now, I will keep those two lit until the fighting stops. It may not be much, but it is better than cursing the darkness.

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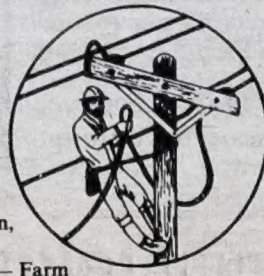
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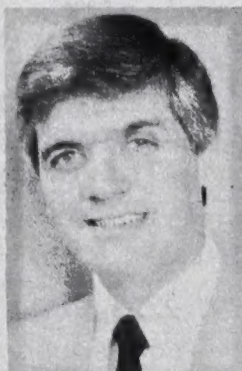
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Agricultural Society elects new executive

The Minden Agricultural Society has elected its executive for the coming year. The election was held during the organization's annual meeting Wednesday evening at the Minden United Church.

Elected as directors for the coming year were: Bess Cox, Mary Cox, Ron Cox, Autumn Davis, Lloyd Johnson, Zetta Little, York Marion, Michelle Maher, Phyllis McHale, Edna Taylor, Sandie Walker and

Arnold Cowen. Also serving as executive members will be past-president Wayne Cox, secretary Joan Moore, and treasurer Beryl Henderson.

The executive elected Ron Cox as the president of the

association for the coming year with Lloyd Johnson as first vice-president and Bess Cox as second vice-president.

Assisting the directors will be a number of associate directors including Don

Freeman, Verne Graham, Helen Johnson, Jean Batty, Ruth Anne Bryant, Jeanne Bowron, Irene Moore, Allan Rice, Geof Robinson and Gwen Robinson.

The meeting was told that 1990 had been a successful year for the society, high-

lighted by the popular Haliburton County Fair. The organization is in excellent financial condition and is anticipating another year of growth for the fair.

About 35 members and guests were on hand for the dinner and meeting.



Ready for 1991, the Minden Agricultural Society elected its executive for this year on Wednesday. The officials have already started planning for the Haliburton County Fall Fair in August.

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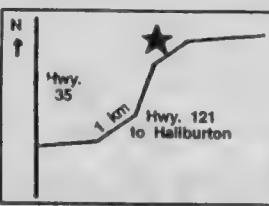
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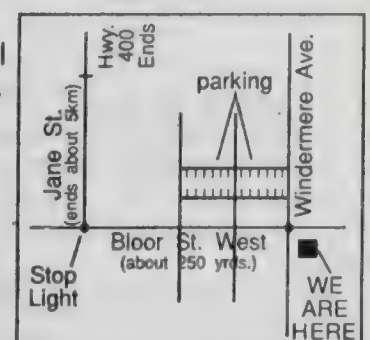
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Minden makes consolation finals

by Lisa Bagshaw

On Friday, January 11, Minden OMHA Pee Wees travelled to Bobcaygeon to begin a three-day tournament.

Minden's first game was against Kitchener at 9:30 p.m.

Kitchener managed to slip two goals by in the first period, but Minden came back early in the second to make the score 2-1.

In the second period, Kitchener scored two goals, and Minden managed to score three more making the score 4-3 for Kitchener going into the third.

After a short break between second and third period, the two teams were back on the ice and ready to play. Early in the third Kitchener scored yet another goal, but Minden was not ready to give up and slammed the puck past the opponent's goalie only one minute later. With only 1:30 left in the third period, Kitchener was able to score one more goal making the final score 6-4 in Kitchener's favour.

Goals and assists for Minden:
Jeff Wray - 2 goals, 1 assist;
Andrew McKelvey - 1 goal;
Dennis Woods - 1 goal;
and Curtis Fielding with 1 assist.

Since we lost the first game of the tournament, we were automatically placed on the consolation side and were scheduled to play Douro on Saturday afternoon.

Minden was definitely ready for this team, making great passes and skating well. Minden opened the scoring with only six seconds left in the first period when Aaron Tomlinson slipped one past Douro's goalie on a pass from Curtis Fielding.

In the second period, Minden's Tommy Bagshaw slammed one in on an assist from Rob Reid, and less than two minutes later, Tommy scored again on a pass from Scott Bailey. At 7:47 Douro sneaked one past Minden's goalie, Justin Rowden, but Rob Reid soon picked the puck up and scored an unassisted goal from the blue line.

There were no goals scored in the third period, but it was not from lack of trying. Both teams put a lot of effort into this game, but it was Minden who came out on top with a 4-1 win.

Minden was then scheduled to play Bobcaygeon on Sunday afternoon. Although Minden has beat Bobcaygeon in regular season play, Bobcaygeon was not about to lose this game without a fight.

The play went from one end of the ice to the other with both goalies receiving several shots on net, but no goals were to be scored in the first period.

In the second period, Minden's Dennis Woods opened the scoring on a pass from Jeff Wray with only three minutes left in the period.

After the break between second and third, Minden came out on the ice fired-up. Less than a minute into the game, Minden's Jeff Wray slammed an unassisted goal past Bobcaygeon's goalie making the score 2-0.

With less than four minutes left in the third, Bobcaygeon slipped one by Minden, but Scott Bailey soon picked up a pass from Aaron Tomlinson only 43

seconds later. With only one second left in the game Jeff Wray pounded one in the net on a pass from Dennis Woods, making the final score 4-1 for Minden.

After winning over Bobcaygeon, Minden was then scheduled to play Keswick in the Consolation Championship game.

Minden seemed to outplay Keswick for most of the game, but could not seem to hold them off. Keswick came away with a 4-0 win over Minden.

M.V.P. (Most Valuable Player) for the game was Goalie, Justin Rowden.

Tri-County Pee Wees win three and beat league leading teams

Minden Tri-County Pee Wees hosted Bobcaygeon Saturday evening January 12, at the Minden Arena. Andrew Crego opened the scoring with 3:23 left in the first period, assisted by Arron Belton and Todd Redgrave.

Todd Redgrave set up Arron Belton for two quick, back to back goals in the second period, to make it 3-0 for Minden.

Bobcaygeon scored with 3:19 left, to end the second period 3-1 for Minden.

In the third, Bobcaygeon narrowed the gap to 3-2 with 3:22 remaining.

Terry King had to be brilliant in goal and he stopped Bobcaygeon on numerous efforts to win the game.

Todd Redgrave played a strong game for Minden. The game ended with more foolish Minden penalties after the final whistle had gone. Previous back to back unsportsmanlike penalties against Minden late in the third, almost cost them the game.

From the sin bin, to a penalty free game.

With suspensions and foolish penalties which plagued the game, the day before in Minden, looming and certainly fresh on the minds of all the players, the Minden Tri-County Pee Wees arrived in Cannington Sunday evening, January 13, to take on one of

the league's leading forces.

It seems that coach Dettman finally got through to the Minden players. And what a hockey game it was. End to end action at a fast pace for nearly the entire game. Terry King, came up big in goal again for Minden. All the players dug in deep and Marty Dettman once again was the "old work horse" he's become to his team mates. It is a pleasure to watch Marty and the effort he puts forth. Bobbi Griffin, Scott Carpenter and Chris Fitzell played a strong game on the forward line. Dave Fitzell and Tommy Neville played good defense and Benji Crego was buzzing on defense with his offensive attacks as he usually does.

Todd Redgrave again, was flying, and was all over the ice, netting four goals and an assist.

Todd scored with 34 seconds left in the first period which up until then, Cannington had been carrying the play to Minden, with Terry King robbing Cannington on numerous occasions. Redgrave took a great pass from Bobbi Griffin to break in alone and beat the Cannington goalie. The first round ended 1-0 for Minden.

Marty Dettman scored at 8:41 on a great play assisted by Arron Belton and Dave Fitzell.

Todd Redgrave made it 3-0 at 7:47 when he took a Benji Crego pass to break in and backhand it past the Cannington goalie on a pretty play. Cannington struck at 3:20 to end the second period 3-1 for Minden.

The third period saw
(more on page 14)



Anita Beaver's rink, the dark horses in Friday's mixed league curling, pulled off the upset of the year when they captured the championship title last week. Team members include, Ron Foran (who played for the injured Bill Beers), Laurie O'Sullivan, Tim O'Sullivan and Anita Beaver.

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Curling play-offs see major upset

The first half of the Minden curling season ended with some surprises as teams met for the play-offs last week.

The biggest upset was

delivered by Anita Beaver's rink who were last in the Friday standings all season, but turned into giant killers in the play-offs.

After beating the first

place team in the opening round, the team faced off against the rink skipped by Don Blakey and won on the last rock of the final end.

Next Wednesday, Beaver's team will take to the ice and match rocks with Chris Coneybeare's rink who captured the Thursday title by beating Bob Pol-

lard's rink, and team that had been undefeated all season. The two teams will play for the over-all mixed league trophy.

Capturing the men's league trophy was the rink skipped by Ed Cyr.

The second half of the curling season gets underway this week.



Winners of the Thursday night schedule were Abby Burke, Mark Schell, Linda Mintz and Chris Coneybeare. The team stole the trophy from Bob Pollard's undefeated rink.



Winners of the Tuesday evening men's league first schedule play-offs were the members of Ed Cyr's rink. The team included, from left, Stan Hill, Peter Jennings, Ed Cyr and Chris MacDonald.



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Tri-County Pee Wees beat Woodville with heroic effort by goalie King

(from page 12)

Arron Belton connecting with a hard shot into the twine at 14:36 on a pretty three-way passing play. It was a power play goal with Marty Dettman and Todd Redgrave drawing the assists.

Cannington narrowed the

gap to 4 - 2 with a goal at 11:30.

Todd Redgrave scored again at 7:56 on a Benji Crego pass. Todd scored again at 4:57 when he blasted a shot past the Cannington goalie on a great pass from Arron Belton.

The game ended 6 - 2 for Minden, with a penalty free game for Minden. It was certainly the best game of the season and the fans got their money's worth, this time around.

As the song goes, "what a difference a day makes."

Minden hosted the lea-

gue's leading Tri-County Pee Wee team Tuesday evening January 15th and came away with a splendid 3 - 1 victory.

Arron Belton opened the scoring at 5:54 of the first period on a backhand shot assisted by Andrew Crego. The second period saw Woodville tie the game at 3:31.

Bobbi Griffin performed her magic with one second left in the second period, unassisted to give Minden a 2 - 1 lead.

The third period saw Woodville throwing everything into their attack, to be turned back time and time again with heroics by Minden's goalie, Terry King. Bobbi Griffin alertly banged in a loose puck from the Woodville crease at 14:11, on a pass from Arron Belton, for her second goal of the game.

Minden played great defence and the mainstay of their forward and defense crew held off the final attack by Woodville.

It was the first loss for Woodville this season. Minden finishes on the regular season play with a home game tomorrow, Tuesday, January 22nd against Beaverton. Game time 8 p.m.

They have a return engagement at the Beaverton arena Thursday evening at 8:15 p.m. January 24th. Playoff games will be announced, following completion of the regular season.

Threats unnecessary says reeve

(from page 5)

logical method at our disposal. As to this being something new, Haliburton County has been on Market Value Assessment since the early eighties, having adopted Section 63 of the Act. At 1978 values, four municipalities have updated Market Value Assessments, and the other six have remained unchanged since the first Market Value Assessment adoption.

The previous County Council initiated, by resolution in 1987, to have an equality of re-assessment throughout the county. It has taken three years for the Ministry of Revenue to respond to the request. The formula presented by the ministry to me, appears to be fair, equalizing taxes in each municipality by updating to 1988 values. Some property taxes will go up and some will come down. Personally, taxes on my home will go up 75 - 100%.

Recently, upon consulting with several knowledgeable real estate people, I was shown listings that ranged from 25 - 40% higher than 1988 values. The average was 25% higher in 1989 on the sales over 1988. Sales have been sluggish in the latter part of 1990, and some properties have returned to 1989 values.

I am prepared to examine any system that could be an alternative, to be fair to

all taxpayers. I can't fight a system with only negatives. Give me some positive ammunition. I question, "Is the system in the U.S. more appropriate, the deduction of all property taxes from a person's income taxes?" However, this is a federal and provincial matter, and must be fought at those levels.

The equation is simple. If your municipality is collecting \$5 million in taxes now, after re-assessment it will still be collecting \$5 million plus the costs to operate for the current fiscal year. The taxes will be equalized through the municipality and county.

I have no knowledge via the media, where one person has lost their home or business because of Market Value Assessment throughout Ontario. For the past 10 years, I also note that seniors' families receive cheques on one or two properties to assist in paying their taxes. I am not for rushing this through County Council; however, it is my opinion, that through discussion and cool interpretation, a decision in the near future will be made. Coercing and threatening councillors is not a necessary ingredient. I do not think any County Councillor is a "bozo" that doesn't know what is going on, and we are acting on behalf of all taxpayers.

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Fisheries Act with the offence of permitting the deposit of a deleterious substance in waters frequented by fish.

Presiding Justice of the Peace D. Nichols heard evidence that on August 3, 1990 Minden Conservation Officer David Ferguson observed muddy water entering the lake resulting in a noticeable silt plume. The silt laden water was

traced to a well driller rig operated by Richmond.

According to the ministry, Richmond took immediate action on the officer's instructions to stop the flow into the lake.

In summing up the case, Federal Prosecutor David Gemmill told the court of the damage silt can do to fish spawning areas whether fish eggs are present at the time or not. Often spawning

success can be interrupted for years, doing serious harm to fish populations in a lake.

"So serious is this type of offence that the maximum fine for a first offence is \$50,000 and \$100,000 for subsequent offences", said Gemmill.

Gemmill told the court that had it not been for Richmond's clean record and his immediate co-oper-

ation with Ferguson at the time of the offence, The Crown would have requested a substantially higher penalty.

"This is one more in a series of recent fish habitat damage prosecutions by the Ministry of Natural Resources which has resulted in substantial fines in court," says Ferguson. "The courts are very supportive of our stepped up efforts to protect the environment."

Women's Institute January meeting

The January 16 meeting of Minden Women's Institute was at the Common Room with the usual opening. The President, Mrs. Sears, welcomed us all and read a verse.

The Roll call followed with a Special Collection for the Card Fund. Then Mrs. Moore reported sending 15 cards since the last meeting.

Letters were read including a thank you note and a letter from our Provincial President. Also Pennies for Friendship were taken for World President's expenses. There was discussion about future short Courses and we made selections. There was a report made about the Fancy Bread Course

and thanks go to Jean Lacey and Dorothea Lynch for a great day.

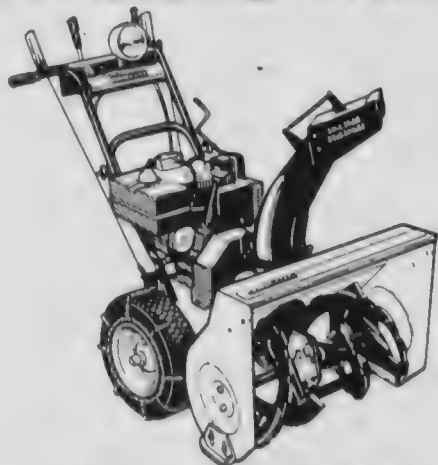
Joyce Hewitt then gave us the Current Events report of the past year bringing us memories and this goes in the Tweedsmuir Book. The president then put questions for all on Canada and this was a pleasant half hour. Maud Coulter read "Life Begins at 80", an another amusing item. Plans are to be made later for a Special Day in June.

The meeting adjourned and all enjoyed a social half hour and snacks served by the committee. Next meeting is February 20 at 2 p.m. at the same place and we welcome all ladies.

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by Jean Lacey

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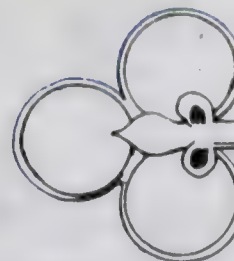
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Wednesday evening Cathy Owens and Earl Cooper were here to entertain the residents. We can rely on Cathy and Earl to be here regularly. Cathy played the piano, Earl played the violin, and mandolin for awhile, and then Cathy played the accordion, and they both sang hymns. Thank you both, we thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

Thursday was Tea Party time. The ladies of the Minden Bible Church provided a delicious lunch. Before we had lunch the ladies performed a short program. Beth Fast sang a couple of hymns, Marion Fisher gave a talk, and the Beth sang some more. We were served lunch by Pat Mintz, Denis Stringer, Marion Fisher, Kim Coulter, Elizabeth Carrell, Althea Gartshore, Marjory

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Johnson, Norma Davies, Joyce Wray, Lenora Prentice and Beth Fast. Thank you sincerely for the singing, talk, and refreshments.

Thursday evening we had Marg Prentice to call bingo again. We certainly enjoy Marg calling. We thank you very much.

Friday's Happy Hour had a good turnout of residents, and friends who were entertained my Mike and Connie Biagi, and Frank Faulkner. The volunteers for Happy Hour were Don and Ellen Holden, Bonnie Fullan and Mary Guillemin. We wish to thank everyone for helping make Happy Hour a success.

Friday night the Grandfathers came to entertain us. Not all the group was

able to come as the weather was very bad, just Bill Payne, and Eldon Deacon. The residents thank you heartily for bringing the toe tapping music to them.

Everyone is pleased to have Linda Fry with us again (temporarily), as far as we know, it is for three months.

Monday, Evelyn Coleman came for an hour of Bible Study. We studied the woman at the well. Thank you Evelyn, we appreciate your coming to explain parts of the Bible to us.

There was a foot massage in the afternoon.

At 4 p.m. we had reading. Doris has found a lady who would like to volunteer to read to us; her name is

Marion Fisher. She read for us on Monday, and we all like the way she reads. We thank you Marion sincerely.

In the evening Ruth and Allan Rice showed films in the auditorium. They were four short ones "Forest Forever", "Wild Rice Country", "Blue Bird of Happiness", and "They Called Us Killers" (whales). I thought Forest Forever was very interesting. The men used a saw that was shaped like a disc, and that worked like claws. The saw has one claw on each side. The claws meet in the centre when the tree is completely sawed through, and then it is lifted right off the stump.

Tuesday afternoon we played cards in the auditorium. There were three tables of Euchre, and one of Crokinole, we had a volunteer at each table. The volunteers were Helen Skelting, Mabel Deacon, Mary Cox, Jeanne Sears and

Freda Hulbig. It all went as smooth as glass.

Wednesday morning ten lady quilters came to Hyland Crest to quilt a cross stitch quilt. The ladies were Irene Fuhr, Laura Kirkwood, Irma Little, Edna McElwain, Ester Graham, Dor-

othy McElwain, Lou Graham, Carrie Drysdale, Mary Guillemin and Ellen Holden. They worked on it to about 4 p.m. and now there is only a narrow strip to do in the centre. We do thank these ladies from the bottom of our hearts.

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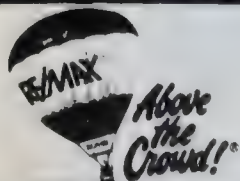


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Constitutional reform necessary for Canada's future progress

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If Canada is to march into the 21st Century and realize all of its potential, this serious weakness will have to be fixed.

On this road to Constitutional reform, we have taken one large step by understanding that politicians and "experts" are just one, limited source of wisdom on Constitutional issues. We realize that individual Canadians and their thoughts are absolutely vital if a revitalized Constitution is to do its job and reflect the soul of the nation. With this in mind, this government launched two linked initiatives.

First, Keith Spicer's Citizens' Forum is asking questions and receiving answers about Canada from coast to coast to coast. The Forum works in many different ways and allows people to express themselves and articulate their vision of Canada in whatever way seems appropriate. Critics have moaned about lack of structure and direction, but we believe Canadians don't want to have their thoughts strangled by process. We are entirely optimistic about what Mr. Spicer's group will produce.

Second, and more recently, we have announced a Special Joint Committee

Report from Ottawa

With Bill Scott, MP

of the House of Commons the amending process and the Senate to look at figure out ways to tailor it

to today's, and tomorrow's needs.

Like the Citizen's Forum, the Special Committee will consult broadly with Canadians and encourage banter around a

discussion paper, Amending the Constitution of Canada. The Committee is due to report to the government by Canada Day, 1991.

These two initiatives will work together from

the common assumption that in the opinions of individual Canadians we are likely to find ways to make our Constitution a more relevant Canadian document.

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Acid rain report

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This report covers the period of January 6 to January 12.

January 8, 3 cm snow, 4.1 pH, from southern Ontario and Lake Erie.

January 9, 4 mm mixed rain and snow, 4.3 pH, from southern Ontario and Lake Erie.

January 11, 12 cm snow, 4.6 pH, from Lake Ontario, western New York and eastern Pennsylvania.

Environmental damage is usually observed in sensitive areas regularly receiving precipitation with pH less than 4.7. Readings of 4.0 pH or less are considered dangerous. The lower the reading, the more acidic the precipitation.

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Dialysis service planned by Health Council

The Haliburton, Kawartha & Pine Ridge District Health Council has endorsed the development of a hemodialysis service in Peterborough to serve the needs of residents of Peterborough, Haliburton, Victoria and Northumberland Counties. At present, kidney failure patients must travel to either Toronto or Kingston for life-maintaining treatment.

The dialysis unit in Peterborough is to be developed jointly by the Toronto Hospital and the Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses (VON). The proposed two-station facility would enable hemodialysis patients in the greater Peterborough area who are unable to perform dialysis at home, to now receive hemodialysis in a community-based satellite setting. At least four hemodialysis patients would be served by the new unit. Stabilized patients who are unable to travel to Toronto or to be trained for home dialysis are candidates for the service.

The VON and the Toronto Hospital have developed, over the past few years, effective working relationships in the treatment of peritoneal dialysis patients. The VON staff would be trained, assessed and certified by the Toronto Hospital. Staff at the Toronto Hospital would provide consultation with the satellite unit staff and visit the unit on a regular and as-needed basis. Patients would be referred to the new unit by a kidney specialist at one of the Toronto hospitals. Additionally, patients would, prior to referral, receive nursing, social work, dietary and occupational therapy assessments as needed. The new unit in Peterborough will receive referrals from any of the Toronto hospitals with dialysis services.

The decentralized nature and community-based focus of this joint proposal builds on earlier work of the District Health Council.

The proposal was reviewed and supported by the local branch of the Kidney Foundation.

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Green Plan fails to address many serious concerns

In 1987 the World Commission on Environment and Development, chaired by Norwegian Prime Minister Gro Brundtland, released its report, Our Common Future.

It was a global call to action that said the effect of all human activities including economics must be balanced with environmental protection. Canada's prime minister and all of the provincial premiers committed themselves to the objectives of the Brundtland commission.

In 1988, Brian Mulroney was re-elected after having promised strong environmental action.

Since then, the environmental crisis has deepened with the catastrophic collapse of the Atlantic cod fishery, with the battles over dams, pulp mills and old growth forests, and with definitive evidence of harmful effects of air and water pollution on human health.

Polls, public support for recycling and the proliferation of new environmental groups show wide public commitment to environmental issues. And the government response to the Persian Gulf

Reflections

by David Suzuki

crisis showed that it can act quickly and forcefully.

So when the Green Plan, the long-awaited government strategy for the environment was unveiled on December 11, expectations were high.

It is a massive disappointment.

The plan calls for "changes in our thinking and our actions" and "a fundamental change in the way we use the environment in our pursuit of economic growth."

To be sure, there are positive proposals in the report. But the plan itself shows none of the attitudinal changes it calls for. Consider:

- The plan fails to address the cause of the environmental crisis on a planet that is finite - human numbers and the demands for continued economic

growth now exceed the earth's sustainable carrying capacity.

- There is no clear statement that air, water and soil must be protected above all else because we, as animals, and all other life forms have an absolute dependence on them for our health and survival.

- There is no indication that we must develop new ways to deal with the natural distribution of air, water, plants and animals which don't conform to human borders or jurisdictions.

- The plan doesn't move humans from the centre of all life on earth to a more peripheral and dependent part of it.

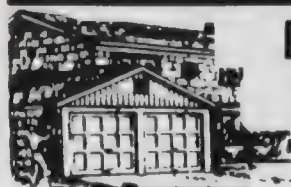
Perhaps the most damaging flaw of all is that the minister of the environment does not speak on behalf of the community of organisms with whom we share the earth. Instead, Robert de Cotret speaks for a shrinking minority of his constituency who think we can manage our impact on nature.

So the overriding concern of the document is

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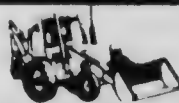
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Canada needs an environmental bill of rights and strong laws

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with ensuring economic growth and development.

The document fails to exhibit vision, leadership and courage. Lots of important requirements are missing:

- We need legislation with teeth - a commitment to imposing and then enforcing a standard of zero emission of toxic chemicals into air, water and soil.

- We need protection for those who blow the whistle on environmentally destructive actions of their peers or employers. We need a massive commitment of money over decades.

- We need an environmental auditor-general who will assess the ramifications of all departments and have the power to stop those that are ecologically destructive.

- We need an environmental bill of rights ensuring a clean biosphere for future generations of all life forms.

- But most of all, we need a sense of urgency to motivate strong new action.

Let's look at global warming, potentially the most destructive threat that faces us.

In November, more than 700 scientists from 130 nations agreed that warming due to human activity has already started and could accelerate in coming years. They called on all governments to begin reducing greenhouse emissions immediately.

The Green Plan response is downright dishonest. It points out that we generate only two per cent of the total greenhouse emissions but fails to add that we are less than 0.5 per cent of the world's population and that we produce more greenhouse gases per capita than any other industrialized country.

The plan doesn't mention that Canada agreed to aim for a 20-per-cent reduction in 1988 levels of carbon dioxide emissions within 15 years, that countries like Australia and Germany intend to better that target or that several reports one com-

missioned by the federal government itself show that billions of dollars will be saved by achieving that target.

Instead, the plan merely announces an attempt to cap emissions at the 1990 level.

If polls indicate anything, it is that strong government action would be widely supported by the public. It is tragic that a government with so little to lose is so lacking in vision and courage.



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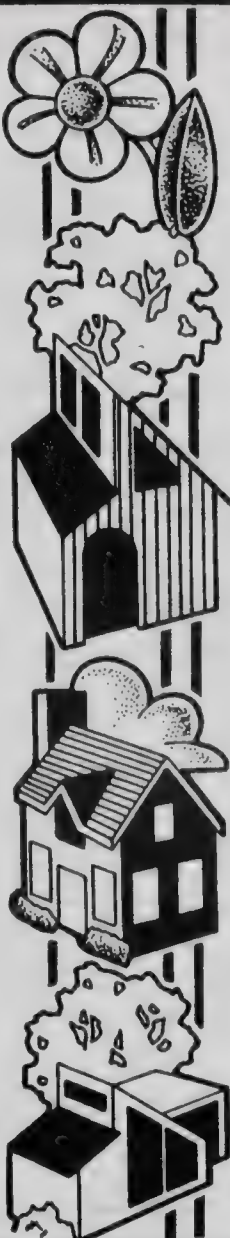
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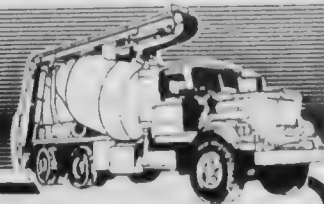
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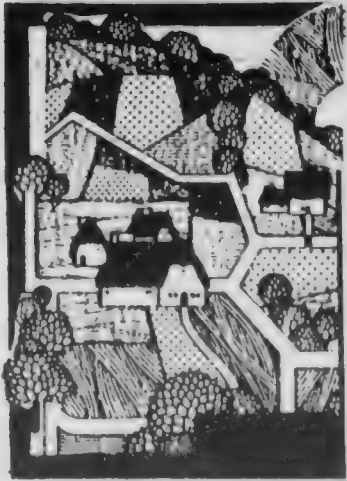
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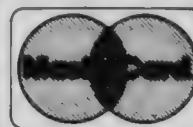
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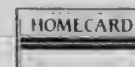


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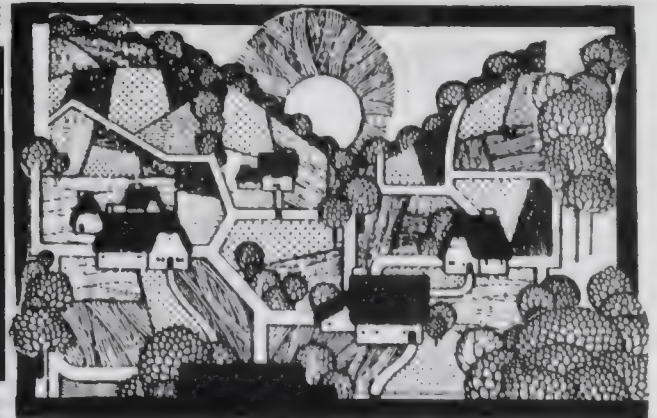


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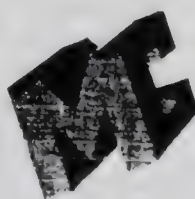
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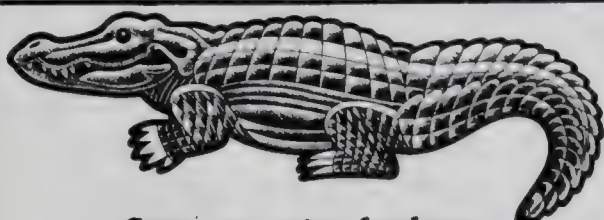
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Around the County Town

by Jean Sears (call 286-1538)

Winners at the Anglican Euchres on the afternoon of Monday, January 14, were: lone hands - Marie Dennie and others - Jeanne Sears, Mary Cassidy, Jack Chilton and Verna McDonald. A Luncheon Card Party at noon January 28 is planned with euchre after things are cleared away.

Monday night, January 14 was cribbage at Minden Legion at 7:30 p.m. with winners being: Lorna and Willard Bridgman and draws: Norm Lee, Roy McDonald and John James.

Recently Bob and Audrey Vick visited with Grace Dart in Peterborough.

Trent McElwain of Pickering enjoyed last weekend with his mother Dorothy McElwain.

Pat and Julie Keenan with friends Mary and Charlie Hayes, from Woodville, visited with Jean Lacey and enjoyed watching the Sled-Dog races.

Alice Morrison returned home after a 3-week holiday with Craig, Lyn and Jordan Morrison of Toronto and Myles, Glenda and Brent Morrison at Brantford.

Steve Berry and Rick Harding must be having a great holiday, as they climbed Mt. Kilimanjaro in Tanzania, Africa.

Native Forum to be held at SSFC

Sir Sandford Flemming College in Lindsay is hosting a special Public Forum on the Native Position of Environmental Issues.

Special guests include Chief Gary Potts, of the Teme-Augama Anishnabai People of Temagami, Dennis Drainville, MPP, for Victoria-Haliburton, and John Olthuis, a Native rights Lawyer.

The public is welcome to attend this event, and admission is free.

The Open Forum will take place at the Frost Theatre, Sir Sandford Flemming College, Frost Campus, Lindsay, on Thursday, January 24, 1991, at 7 p.m.

Last weekend guests with the Bob Vicks included Hans and Brent Priesse of Toronto, Dale and Cathy and Tyler Vick of Vandorf and Julie and Bill Woofrey of Bridgforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Taylor were recent guests with Dorothy McElwain.

Islay Warburton (my daughter) spent last weekend with me and saw the Sled-Dog races, first time for her and we enjoyed the lunch at noon at St. Paul's.

Centennial Committee of Zion United Church is planning a St. Patrick's corned

beef and cabbage dinner followed by cards and they want everyone to keep March 15 open for this event.

Life Begins at 80

I have good news for you. The first 80 years are the hardest. The second 80 year are a succession of birthday parties and card games etc.

Once you reach 80, everyone wants to carry your baggage and help you up the steps. If you forget your name or anybody else's, or names get mixed up, you need only explain that you are 80! If you promise to be at three places at the same

time or forget how many grandchildren you have, they'll forgive you.

Being 80 is a lot better than being 70. At 80 you have a perfect excuse no matter what you do. Everybody is looking for symptoms of softening of the brain. Being 70 is no fun at all. At that age, they expect you to retire to Florida and complain about your arthritis, (it used to be called rheumatism or lumbago).

If you survive until you are 80 everybody is surprised you are still alive. Actually, you seem wonderful because you can still walk and talk sensibly. So please folks, try to make it

to 80.

If you ask me, life begins at 80. People forgive you for anything. It's the best time of life.

Club 35 Bridge - January 15th. 1st: Ray Brown; 2nd: Bill Kleinschmidt; Bridge held at 1 p.m. every Tuesday.

Club 35 Euchre - January 14th. 50 - 50 draw - Ken Wallace; lone hands - Cliff Woolner; high lady - Rhoda Woolner; high man - George Alsop; others - Hazel Gregory, Ray Brown, Rhoda Woolner. Club 35 - there will be Bridge Tuesday, January 22nd at 1 p.m. All

welcome.

Legion Euchre - January 10th. Most lone hands - ladies - Vi Edgson; men - Willard Bridgman; high man - Verna McDonald; high lady - Marjorie Coulter; others - lady - Marg McAfee; man - Orval Francis. Draws - Jean Hewitt; Tod Edgson; Vivian Anderson; Jack Chilton.

Wayne Anderson was home from hospital last weekend but has now gone to Sunny Brook Medical Centre, 2075 Bayview, Room B 404, Toronto,

(more on page 27)

NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF STANHOPE 1991 MUNICIPAL COMMITTEES

Applications are cordially invited for membership on any of the following 1991 Municipal Committees:

1. Library
2. Recreation, Parks and Community Centres
3. Board of Management
4. Fun Day

Please submit applications by February 12, 1991.

Gerald Bain, A.M.C.T.
Clerk, Township of Stanhope
R.R. #1, Haliburton, Ontario
KOM 1S0



INFORMATION CENTRE

1991 GYPSY MOTH CONTROL PROGRAM

You are invited to review the Ministry of Natural Resources' proposal for dealing with the gypsy moth on Victoria County Agreement Forest lands, Somerville Tract, in 1991.

An information centre will be held on Thursday, February 21, 1991, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. and from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at:

Kinmount Community Centre
Corner of Hwy. 503 and Dixon Street
Kinmount, Ontario
KOM 2A0

The proposal will also be available during normal business hours at the Ministry of Natural Resources Office in Minden, for a 30-day review period until March 21, 1991.

Comments concerning the proposal should be submitted during the review period to the District Manager, Ministry of Natural Resources, Minden District, Hwy. 35, Minden, Ontario KOM 2K0, or telephone (705) 286-1521.



Ministry of
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SCHEDULE B ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT DEEP BAY ROAD (COUNTY ROAD 2) — ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

LOTS 21, 22, CON. 9 TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH
(At Little Gull Landfill)

PUBLIC COMMENT NOW BEING ACCEPTED

As a requirement under Ontario's Environmental Assessment Act, the County of Haliburton hereby notifies all interested individuals and parties that subject to the comments received as a result of this Notice and the receipt of other approvals as necessary, the County of Haliburton Roads Department intends to proceed with the planning, design and construction of the above mentioned project.

The purpose of this project is to reconstruct the section of roadway from 200 m south to 800 m north of the Little Gull Landfill site, thus providing a facility that will address the deficiencies outlined in the justification report. Preliminary design of this project has been initiated, however a preferred design will not be selected until such a time when comment from all interested parties has been reviewed. Actual costing of the project cannot be attained until a preferred design is selected, however a benchmark cost of 300,000 dollars has been derived from costing of projects of similar nature.

For further information on this project, or to inspect a copy of the Class Environmental Assessment contact:

County of Haliburton Roads Department
St. Germain Street
Box 399, Minden, Ont.
KOM 2K0
Mon. - Fri.: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
(705) 286-1762



An open house forum will be held on February 16, 1991 at the County of Haliburton Offices on Germain Street in Minden from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. for general information and comment.

Interested individuals and parties have until March 1st to comment on the proposed project. Comments must be in writing and be received by the Roads Office by the above date.

If concerns regarding this project cannot be resolved, a person/party may request that the Minister of the Environment "bump-up" this project to an individual environmental assessment. Bump-up requests must be received by the above date and submitted to the address below. If there are no concerns expressed by the above date, the County of Haliburton Roads Department will proceed with the planning, design and construction of this project.

Minister of the Environment
135 St. Clair Avenue West
15th Floor
Toronto, Ont.
M4V 1P5

This Notice issued January 14th, 1991.

W.E. Obee, P. Eng.,
County Engineer,
County of Haliburton.

Bob McCausland,
Chairman of Road Committee,
County of Haliburton.

Anglers asked to co-operate with fishing survey

Anglers in the Minden and Haliburton area may be wondering "Why are they asking me all these questions?" If you fish area lakes this winter you can expect to be asked questions such as "What time did you start

fishing? Did you catch any fish? and Did you keep any fish?" These questions, and others, are used by Ministry of Natural Resources Biologists and fisheries managers in making important decisions regarding angling

season length, harvest limits, and whether or not to stock a lake. Anglers are asked to co-operate with Fish and Wildlife Technicians and Conservation Officers who may interrupt their fishing trip for the

brief 2-3 minute interview. Also, don't be shy about showing off your catch. Those small fish are just as important as the large ones so let the Ministry staff measure and weigh your catch.

Anglers are also encouraged to record all of their fishing trip information in a Volunteer Angler Diary available from the Minden District Office of the Ministry of Natural Resources on Highway 35, (705-286-

1521) or from Creel Survey staff. These diaries can provide important information on many more lakes than can be surveyed by Ministry staff.

Anglers are reminded that the limit for lake trout is now 2 as opposed to 3 previously. This means that anglers can possess an aggregate limit of 5 trout per day in any combination of species (lake trout, brook trout, splake or rainbow trout) of which no more than 2 may be lake trout.

Anglers are also cautioned to use care when travelling over lakes during winter especially in the vicinity of inflow and outflows from lakes which can be especially dangerous.

Around the County Town

(from page 26)

Ontario, M4N 3M5. Sure hope they find out something to help him on the road to recovery.

Sincere sympathy goes to the families and friends of the late Norma Parrish, Bill Donnelly, Audrey

Prentice, Berta Saarnio, Lilian Turner and Jenny Newson, whose funerals were since last week.

Elaine Anderson has been staying with Pennay and Moyer Hewitt at Tottenham.

There were Euchre Games

Tuesday, January 15 at Lochlin Centre with winners for lone hands - Earl Schellenberg and Kit Schroeter, Bruce O'Brien, Paul Hillyer and Gladys Reid. Next games here will be January 28,

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One cold winter day

In nineteen eighty four, A strange cat appeared At Susan's door. He looked thin and scared And his tail was a mess, And she said "we will have to put him To sleep I guess". But the veterinary said "no, The cat isn't frail But I'll have to operate

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Florence Robinson

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* M.S.W. or B.S.W. with two years experience in provision of mental health service.

Please send resumes no later than January 25, 1991 to:

Hiring Committee
Haliburton County Counselling Centre
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HALIBURTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION TENDER - PLUMBING, HEATING, ELECTRICAL AND CARPENTRY

Sealed tenders clearly marked as to contents are invited for the repairs (as required) to plumbing, heating, electrical, air conditioning and carpentry in the Board's Schools for the year 1991 and will be accepted by the undersigned until Monday, January 28, 1991 at 4:00 p.m.

Tender forms, outlining instructions and conditions are available at the Board Office.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

James E. Bradley,
Business Administrator,
Haliburton County Board of Education,
Box 507,
Haliburton, Ontario K0M 1S0



CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE (File #87-21)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of
the Corporation of the Townships of Anson,
Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and
convey to the adjoining landowners portions
of the original allowance for road along the
shore of Horseshoe Lake lying in front of Lot
12, Concession 5, in the Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to
Section 301(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O.
1980, as amended, that the Council of the
Corporation of the Townships of Anson,
Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and,
if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular
meeting to be held in the Municipal Council
Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario,
on January 24, 1991 at the hour of 7:30 p.m., a
By-law to stop up, close and convey those
parcels of land more particularly described as
follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along
the shore of Horseshoe Lake in front of Lot 12,
Concession 5, in the Township of Minden, in
the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts
3 and 4 on a plan of survey completed by
Bishop & Wilson on August 24, 1989.

The plan of survey is available for inspection
in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario
during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before
passing the said By-law at the meeting to be
held at the time and place above-mentioned,
the Council shall then and there hear in person
or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any
person who claims that his or her land will be
prejudicially affected by the said By-law and
who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 19th
day of December, 1990.

Mrs. Mary Mysyk,
Clerk-Treasurer,
P.O. Box 359,
Minden, Ontario
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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE (File #90-10)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
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shore of Mountain Lake lying in front of Lot
5/6, Concession 8, in the Township of Minden.

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the County of Haliburton, designated as Part 1
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Wilson on June 14th, 1990.

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Rotarians learn about acid rain from Dorset researcher

What a difference a year makes! Just as we are trying to get used to dating everything 1991 instead of 1990, the TV is telling us that our armed forces are engaged in a "surgical" war in the Persian Gulf and that Glastnost seems to be in danger. As if that wasn't enough, I look outside and it is snowing again.

Minden Rotary however is back to normal. January 7 was our first meeting in 1991 and guest speaker Chuck Reed from the M.O.E. Research Centre in Dorset gave us a very informative presentation on the subject of acid rain.

Exchange student Anette became a year older on January 5 and she is on the

move again. She has been living with Don & Jane Joynt for the past three months, as of January 19, her new host family became Bob & Joanne Penfold.

Tuesday, January 8 saw 129 Bingo lovers turn up at the Rec Centre for their first "Bingo fix" of the year. It was a very successful opening for the year. However, the U.N. deadline for Iraq must have interfered on the 15th as only 99 players showed up. We all had a good time, but we hope all those empty seats will be filled next week.

Some of you have asked what we do with the money we raise from Bingo and other activities. That is a good question because most

For Your Service

by Rotarian Bill Roszell

of it just quietly goes back to the community without any fanfare. All the money we raise is used for charitable purposes and the vast majority of donations are made right here in Minden

and the surrounding area. During the period from June 1 to November 30, 1990, \$16,562 was donated to the following:

- Victorian Order of Nurses
- Library Talking Books
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- Minden Baseball Association
- O.P.P. Say NO to Drugs Campaign
- Stanhope Fire Dept. - Jaws of Life
- Education Grants
- Jarrett Gentle's Computer

- Student bursaries
- Camp Wanakita
- Santa Claus Parade
- Rotary International Foundation

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channel 2
GLOBAL

Mon., Jan. 21		Tues., Jan. 22	
6:00	Global News	6:00	Global News
7:00	Wheel Of Fortune	7:00	Wheel Of Fortune
7:30	Major Dad	7:30	Hockey: Toronto at Quebec
8:00	MacGyver	8:00	Major Dad
9:00	Movie: The Guys		
11:00	Global News		
11:30	Sportsline		
12:00	COPS		
12:30	Late Night With David Letterman		

Thurs., Jan. 24	
10:00	Diamonds
11:00	Global News
11:30	Sportsline
12:00	Haywire
12:30	Late Night With David Letterman
1:30	Mod Squad
2:30	Room 222
3:00	Jackpot
3:30	Night Moves
4:00	Night Ride
5:00	Night Walk

Wed., Jan. 23		Fri., Jan. 25	
6:00	Global News	6:00	Global News
7:00	Wheel Of Fortune	7:00	Wheel Of Fortune
7:30	Hockey: Toronto at Montreal	7:30	Profiles of Nature
10:30	Super Dave	8:00	Quantum Leap
11:00	Global News	9:00	In Living Colour
11:30	Sportsline	9:30	Coach
12:00	Totally Hidden Video	10:00	Wiseguy
12:30	Late Night With David Letterman		
1:30	Mod Squad		
2:30	Room 222		
3:00	Jackpot		
3:30	Night Moves		
4:00	Night Ride		
5:00	Night Walk		

Sat., Jan. 26		Sun., Jan. 27	
6:00	Seneca Telecollege	6:00	Circle Square
6:30	Commander Crumbcake	6:30	Town & Country
7:00	Hercules	7:00	Jimmy Swaggart
7:30	World Tomorrow	8:00	Hour Of Power
8:00	Kidsbeat	9:00	World Tomorrow
8:30	Ovide & The Gang	9:30	Blue Rainbows
9:00	Slimer! And The Real Ghostbusters	10:00	Balloon Landing
10:00	Beetlejuice	10:30	Little Koala
10:30	New Kids On The Block	11:00	Kidstreet
11:00	COPS	11:30	Smogglies
11:30	Dennis The Menace	12:00	Carrocel
12:00	Hobby Garden	12:30	Festival Italiano
12:30	Kidsbeat		
1:00	Smogglies		
1:30	Smogglies		
2:00	OHL Hockey		
5:00	The Bugs & Tweety		

Mon., Jan. 28	
6:00	Global News
7:00	Wheel Of Fortune
7:30	Hockey: Minnesota at Toronto
10:30	Super Dave
11:00	Global News
11:30	Sportsline
12:00	COPS
12:30	Late Night With David Letterman
1:30	Mod Squad
2:30	Room 222
3:00	Night Moves
4:30	Night Ride



channel 3
CKVR

Mon., Jan. 21		Tues., Jan. 22	
6:00	Love Boat	6:00	Love Boat
7:00	Journey Into... Thailand	7:00	National Geographic
7:30	Max Glick	8:00	Fifth Estate
8:00	Fresh Prince	9:00	Market Place
8:30	Degrassi High	9:30	Man Alive
9:00	Mom P.I.	10:00	The National & The Journal
9:30	Designing Women	11:00	Total News
10:00	The National & The Journal	11:30	Golden Girls
11:00	Total News	12:00	Perry Mason
11:30	Golden Girls	1:00	Movie: Marriage of Maria Braun
12:00	Perry Mason		
1:00	Movie: Zebra In The Kitchen		

Thurs., Jan. 24		Fri., Jan. 25	
7:00	Search For Adventure	6:00	Love Boat
8:00	Jacques Cousteau	7:00	World Of Survival
9:00	Nature Of Things	8:00	Street Legal
10:00	The National & The Journal	9:00	Dallas
11:00	Total News	10:00	The National & The Journal
11:30	Golden Girls	11:00	Total News
12:00	Perry Mason	11:30	Golden Girls
1:00	Movie: Carpathian Eagle/Guardian of the Abyss	12:00	Perry Mason
		1:00	Movie: Alaska Seas
		2:30	Little Rascals
		3:30	Phil Silvers
		4:00	Movie: Perils Of Pauline

Sat., Jan. 26		Sun., Jan. 27	
9:00	Disability Network	6:10	Total News
9:30	Lynette Jennings	6:30	Morning Exercise
10:00	Star Trek	7:00	Oopsy Daisy
11:00	Your Wealth	7:30	Third Story
11:30	Parent To Parent	8:00	The White Paper
12:00	Tommy Hunter	8:30	People's Church
1:00	Travel Magazine	9:30	Movie: Northwest Passage
1:30	In Shape For Life	12:00	Best of You're Getting Better
2:00	Fishing The North	12:30	Ag Weekend
2:30	Renovation Zone	1:00	Country Canada
3:00	Sportsworld	1:30	Hymn Sing
6:00	Movie: Flipper's New Adventure	2:00	Probe
		2:30	Life: The Program
		3:00	Sportsworld
		5:00	Best of the Beachcombers
		5:30	Captain Planet
		6:00	Disney
		7:00	Road to Avonlea
		8:00	Carmen On Ice
		9:30	Carol & Company
		10:00	Sunday Report
		10:25	Venture

Mon., Jan. 28	
6:00	Love Boat
7:00	Journey Into... Thailand
7:30	Max Glick
8:00	Fresh Prince
8:30	Degrassi High
9:00	Mom P.I.
9:30	Designing Women
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Total News
11:30	Golden Girls
12:00	Perry Mason
1:00	Movie: My Favourite Blonde



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channel 13
TV Ontario

Mon., Jan. 21	
6:00	Renovating: The Inside Story
6:30	Origins: The History Of Canada
7:00	Academy on Moral Philosophy
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong
9:30	Take A Look
9:40	Excursions
9:45	It Figures
10:00	We Live Next Door
10:15	It Figures
10:30	It Figures
10:45	More Books from Cover to Cover
11:00	Pop medias
11:15	Science mag
11:30	Read All About It
11:45	Readalong
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	TVO Daytime
1:00	Let's All Sing
1:15	Calling All Safety Scouts
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
1:50	Readalong
2:00	Read All About It
2:15	The Green Earth Club
2:30	Dear Aunt Agnes
3:00	Functions trigonométriques
4:00	Cartooning with Yardley Jones
4:30	Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
7:30	Common Ground

4:30	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Today's Special
7:00	Pinwheel
7:30	The Global Family
8:00	Speaking Out
9:00	Full House With Sherry Flett
10:45	The Little Horse
11:00	Pick 3 Draw
11:05	Imprint
12:00	Question Period - Provincial
1:00	Question Period - Federal

Wed., Jan. 23	
6:00	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi
6:30	The Science Of Architecture
7:00	Family Matters
7:30	Sociology
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong
9:30	Look Up
9:45	The Magic Library
10:00	All About You
10:15	It Figures
10:30	It Figures
10:45	Readit
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Addiction Research
11:25	La Chaine d'idees
11:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
11:45	Readalong
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	TVO Daytime
1:00	Let's All Sing
1:15	The Magic Library
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Tales from the Blue Crystal
1:50	Readalong
2:00	Read All About It
2:15	Look Up
2:30	The Kids Of Degraasi Street
3:00	Brain Full Of Chemicals
3:30	Pins and Needles
4:00	Wright Right
4:30	The Successful Landlord
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Join In!
7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
7:30	Hands Over Time
8:00	Odyssey
9:00	Human Edge
10:30	Authors at Harbourfront

front	front
11:00	Pick 3 Draw
11:05	Speaking Out
12:00	Question Period - Provincial
1:00	Question Period - Federal

Thurs., Jan. 24

6:00	The Life Revolution
7:00	L'Enfant
7:30	Mainmise sur la violence
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Gestion du troupeau laitier
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong
9:30	Telefrancals
9:40	Excursions
9:45	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:00	Habitat
10:15	It Figures
10:30	It Figures
10:45	The Green Earth Club
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Zooclip
11:15	Decouvre ton monde 1
11:30	Free To Fly
11:45	Readalong
12:00	TVO Daytime
1:00	Write Stuff
1:15	Harriet's Magic Hats
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Take A Look
1:45	Excursions
1:50	Readalong
2:00	The Magic Library
2:15	Artscape
2:30	All About You
2:45	Voyageurs
3:00	Canadian Short Stories
3:30	Living With Your Teenager
4:00	The Home Gardener
4:30	The Business Of Better Writing
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Today's Special
7:00	Heidi
7:30	The Acme School of Stuff
8:00	Vital Signs
9:00	Between The Lines
10:00	Prisoners of Gravity
10:30	The Originals
11:00	Pick 3 Draw
11:05	Between the Lines
12:00	Question Period - Provincial
1:00	Question Period - Federal

Fri., Jan. 25

6:00	Changing Careers
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6:30	The Space Experience
7:00	The Long Search
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Deutsch direkt
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong
9:30	Nature Watch Digest
9:40	The Green Earth Report
10:00	The Science Alliance
10:15	It Figures
10:30	It Figures
10:45	Storybound
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Addiction Research
11:15	Sciences, on tounel
11:30	The Magic Library
11:45	Readalong
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	TVO Daytime
1:00	Music Box
1:15	We Live Next Door
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	It Figures
1:50	Readalong
2:00	It's Mainly Music
2:15	More Books from Cover to Cover
2:30	The Adventures of Black Beauty
3:00	Canadian Short Stories
3:30	Chinese Brush Painting
4:00	Walking Fit
4:30	Personal Finance with Lyman MacInnis
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
7:30	Money\$worth
8:00	The Science Edition
9:00	Fragile Nature
10:00	Pennies from Heaven
11:00	Pick 3 and Provincial
11:05	Pennies from Heaven
11:35	Prisoners of Gravity
12:00	Question Period - Federal

Sat., Jan. 26

6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Cucumber
7:00	Sharon, Lois, and Bram's Elephant Show
7:30	Today's Special
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	The Adventures of the Little Prince
9:00	Pins and Needles
9:30	French in Action
10:00	Chinese Brush Painting
10:30	The Victorian Kitchen Garden
11:00	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi
11:30	Personal Finance with Lyman MacInnis

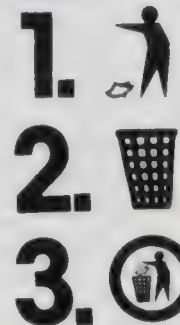
12:00	Renovating: The Inside Story
12:30	Psychology: The Study of Human Behavior
1:00	Saying Goodbye
2:00	Art of the Western World
3:00	Frontrunners
3:30	Marketing For Everyone
4:00	How Will You Manage After Sixty-Five: The Best Years
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Voyager: The World of National Geographic
7:30	Desmond's
8:00	Movie: Sunset Boulevard
10:00	Coversations
10:30	Ontario Lottery Live
11:00	Movie: Beijing Watermelon

Sun., Jan. 27

6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Art / Music
7:00	Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
7:30	Today's Special
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Cucumber
9:00	Sesame Street
10:00	Join In!
10:30	Readalong
11:00	OWL/TV
11:30	Dear Aunt Agnes
12:00	Theorie de l'entraine-ment sportif
12:30	Sciences / maths
1:30	L'Alternative coop
2:00	L'Enfant
2:30	Loisir et Viellissement
3:00	Caracteres
4:30	A communiquer
5:00	Nouvelles Nouvelles
5:30	Garfield et ses amis
6:00	Bibi et Genevieve
6:15	Bricomage
6:30	Doctor Who
7:00	Imagine
7:30	Ici bat la vie
8:00	Ex-Libris
9:00	Cine-Nostalgie
10:40	A comme artiste
11:10	Visionario
12:40	Le Lys et le Trillium

Mon., Jan. 28

6:00	Renovating: The Inside Story
6:30	Origins: The History Of Canada
7:00	Academy on Moral Philosophy
8:00	Polka Dot Door



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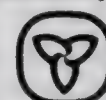
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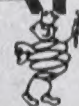
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I would like to thank the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home for the lovely service, Rev. Jim Crighton of Haliburton United Church for his kind words, the Women's Institute for the lovely lunch they held at the Minden United Church, to everyone who brought food to my home, to all who offered their support and to those who donated to the Heart & Stroke Foundation, and for all the beautiful flowers sent at the time of my husband, Folley Lubben's, passing.

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AT REST

DONNELLY, WILLIAM THOMAS - suddenly at Peterborough on Friday, January 11, 1991 in his 71st year. Beloved husband of Ellen Fern Donnelly of Minden, dear father of Patrick of Kingston and Michael and his wife Julie, loving grandfather of Tim and Tracey, brother of Jack and his wife Clare, Dick and his wife Dorie, Fred and his wife Anne and Barbara, predeceased by Alec. Rested at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Sunday, then to Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church for Mass of Christian Burial on Monday, January 14. Spring Interment Minden Cemetery. Wake Service at the Funeral Home on Sunday. Memorial donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated.

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1.36 kg
3-lb. bag
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